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125 Viet Civilians Die In Air Crash

U.S. Plane Crashes With 171 Aboard

DA NANG, South Vietnam (AP)—A four-engine American cargo plane crashed in a populated area near Da Nang Air Base Christmas eve and US authorities said Sunday the known death toll of Vietnamese civilians rose to 125.

An additional 42 civilians were injured, a U.S. spokesman said. The plane, a CL44 turboprop of the Flying Tiger line, carried a crew of four. The crewmen were unaccounted for hours after the plane crashed in a heavy rainstorm and burned. Observers said the crash was the worst such plane disaster of the Vietnam war.

The plane was flying general cargo from the U.S. air base at Tachikawa, near Tokyo, to Da Nang.

A U.S. spokesman said the U.S. 1st Marine Division had taken over responsibility at the disaster scene and a U.S. Army civil affairs company was at the scene to assist. He said Marines were furnishing food, clothing and medical assistance to the Vietnamese village where the plane crashed.

Cause of the crash had not been established as of Sunday morning, the spokesman said.

The Flying Tiger Line identified the crew members as Capt. Frank Hawkins, 50, the pilot, Sparta, N.J.; Michael Jackson, 23, copilot, Redwood City, Calif.; Flight Engineer Lloyd Moore, 45, Turlock, Calif., and Navigator C.G. Tume, 32, Santa Monica, Calif.

The American civilian transport, a Canadian-built CL44 propjet under contract to the U.S. Military Airlift Command, was inbound from the U.S. air base at Tachikawa, near Tokyo.

Approaching the airbase under ground control, it slashed a path 200 feet wide in the village of Binh Thai, a mile south of the runway.

It was 7:16 p.m. a time when most of the families would have just completed dinner. A Vietnamese interpreter said at least 12 of the thatched-roofed homes were destroyed.

Four hours after the crash the wreckage still was burning. A Flying Tiger Line spokesman said he didn't know what cargo it was carrying.

U.S. Marine and Air Force rescue teams arrived about a half-hour after the crash to help remove the wounded and the dead. Floodlights were brought in later as the Americans began a methodical search for additional bodies.

All 109 Survive Mexican Jet Crash

MEXICO CITY (AP)—A Christmas holiday jetliner, groping through predawn mist, pancaked onto a dry lake bed and broke up Saturday while attempting to land after a flight from New York. All 109 persons on board the Mexican DC8 — many of them Americans — survived.

Six Americans were hospitalized with what doctors described as serious injuries. Thirty-two other passengers were released after treatment of minor injuries.

The four-engine jet of Aerovias de Mexico, the government-run airline, came down in what some officials described as a crash landing at 3:37 a.m. It left New York as an extra to the line's regular New York-Mexico City flight at 11:25 p.m., Friday. Just a few hours before, officials said, the plane had completed a Mexico City-New York flight.

Officials in the control tower at Mexico City's Internal Airport said there were indications the plane's altimeter was not functioning properly. An Aerovias spokesman said the airport's radar system was not operating at the time. He said the jet had clearance to land. The six hospitalized passengers were released after treatment of minor injuries.

PLANE DISAPPEARS WITH 27 ABOARD

BOGOTA, Colombia (AP)—An Avianca passenger plane with 27 persons aboard disappeared on a flight to the southern part of Colombia on Saturday and is feared to have crashed in the mountains of that region.

Five planes were sent in search of the missing DC3 but there has been no report of it. The plane carried 24 passengers and a crew of three.

Avianca said the DC3 failed to reach Pasto, its scheduled destination, on a flight from Bogota. All the passengers aboard were Colombians, Avianca reported.

Death Toll Climbs

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The nation's traffic death toll climbed sharply this Christmas Eve.

The count reached 204 for the three-day holiday weekend that began at 6 p.m. Friday and will end at midnight Monday.

The National Safety Council noted, as the tabulation went into the evening, that the death rate at that point was running ahead of the tally during the three-day holiday period

last year. It soared to a record 720 then.

To establish a basis for comparison with the final figure, the Associated Press made a survey of motor vehicle fatalities during a recent three-day nonholiday period, from 6 p.m. Friday, Dec. 9 to midnight Monday, Dec. 12. The total then was 391.

The council estimated in advance that between 650 and 750 Americans will lose their lives on the streets and roads during the Christmas celebration.

The highest traffic death toll for any holiday period was reached during this year's four-day observance of Thanksgiving. It was 748.

Records also were established on the other 1966 holidays, all of them three-day periods.

The tallies: New Year 564, Memorial Day 542, Independence Day 576, Labor Day 636.

11 DIE IN ILLINOIS

The toll of Christmas weekend traffic deaths climbed in Illinois Saturday.

The state counted 11 victims since the tally started at 6 p.m. Friday.

The Christmas Eve victims included:

Julian J. Delgado, 36, James Hansen Jr., 18, both of Springfield, who were killed in a crash at a street intersection in Springfield early Saturday.

Richard P. McCarthy, 26, of Chicago, who was injured fatally early Saturday when his car struck a parked automobile on the city's Southwest Side.

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Christmas 1966

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Christians of the world ushered in Yuletide 1966 and this was the scene: A U.S. cargo plane crashing into homes near Da Nang, killing 125 civilians, the sound of rifle shots and exploding shells, shaking a Christmas truce in Vietnam, Christmas vacationers surviving the crash of a jetliner in Mexico, Pope Paul VI visiting the scene of a flood disaster.

And in Merrie England, an automatic stamp canceling machine in a post office making this Christmas 9961.

In Jerusalem, Jews and Arabs agreed to forego border restrictions for Arab Christians to visit holy places. But in Berlin, the Communists blocked visits of West Berliners to relatives in East Berlin — turning back the cold war status of pre-1963.

Roads leading to Bethlehem were jammed with cars headed for the site which tradition says is the site of Christ's birth.

In the United States, most of the Eastern seaboard was cloaked in a Christmas Eve snowstorm. Travelers clogged transportation facilities and highways.

Sick and wounded servicemen flown from Vietnam had a special Christmas arranged by President Johnson: a greeting from the commander in chief at San Antonio, Tex.

The President himself planned a family Christmas at the LBJ Ranch.

There were appeals from world leaders for peace.

Pope Paul expressed hope for "a miracle of good will" to end the fighting in Vietnam. He journeyed to Florence, hit by floods in November, to celebrate midnight Mass.

Prime Minister Lester B. Pearson of Canada said each individual could contribute to peace "through the exercise of love and understanding."

In Bonn, Kurt Georg Kiesinger, West Germany's new chancellor, told Germans in a Christmas broadcast that "peace remains the principle word for use."

He also renewed his call for an improvement of relations with the Soviet Union and the Communist countries of Eastern Europe.

In South Vietnam, Francis Cardinal Spellman, Roman Catholic vicar of the U.S. armed forces and archbishop of New York, celebrated Mass on a wooden stage covered with a jungle parachute for U.S. servicemen in a muddy clearing 20 miles north of Saigon. Also in Vietnam for Christmas religious services is evangelist Billy Graham.

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Hundreds Stranded By Snows

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

A major snowstorm assuaged much of the South and East a white Christmas Saturday, but left many homeward bound travelers stranded and caused hazardous driving conditions in several states.

The snow, accompanied by record-breaking cold, started in the south-central part of the country Friday, moved east and continued north along the Atlantic seaboard.

The snow was expected to spread into northern New England Saturday night.

In Virginia, the snow began Friday night and by midday Saturday Roanoke reported eight inches had fallen. Piedmont Airlines reported 600 persons stranded at the Roanoke Airport at midmorning. Nearly all planes in the state were grounded.

Thousands of travelers found themselves stranded on Kentucky roads made impassable by five inches of snow. The drivers of about 2,000 vehicles were stranded Friday night on a 12-mile stretch of Interstate 75 between Richmond, Ky., and Berea, Ky.

Ministers in Berea turned out to direct traffic and settled about 500 people in Sunday school rooms, choir lofts, on floors and benches in churches. Restaurants, service stations and cafes remained open all night. Seventy-five families moved into private homes.

The Richmond courthouse, fire station and City Hall were turned into hotels, with local residents distributing blankets and food.

Tennessee, looking forward to its first white Christmas in 95 years, reported snow ranging from one to five inches in an area from the Mississippi River to the North Carolina border. (Turn To Page Eleven)

Two Men, Youth Killed In Blaze

GARY, Ind. (AP)—A sudden, pre-dawn fire in a near downtown Gary home Saturday caused the deaths of two men and a 2-year-old boy.

Six others escaped safely, three by dropping from second-story windows.

One of the victims was Pfc. Ardis Hutson Jr., 19, home on Christmas leave. His body and that of his buddy, John Edward Flourish, 21, Gary, were found in a first-floor bedroom. Firemen said it appeared the fire caught them in their sleep.

The body of Bradford Alan Hill, Hutson's nephew, was found in a second-story bedroom. His grandfather, Ardis Hutson Sr., 51, who escaped through the front door, said the flames were too far advanced to reach anyone on the second floor. He said he believes the fire started in the kitchen, cause unknown.

The elder Hutson's mother-in-law, Sarah Harris, 68, and one of his grandchildren, Deborah Ann Hutson, 9, also escaped through the front door. Three other of the elder Hutson's children, Ralph, 17; Gayle Dianne, 15, and Rose Marie, 12, escaped through second-floor windows.

When there are more Christmas packages than ammo boxes in the squad tent, and somebody has hung an enormous palm wreath on the long barrel of the 155 howitzer.

When the sweet silver of "Silent Night" echoes from the decks of a destroyer in the South China Sea instead of the thunder of five-inch guns.

When the Green Berets in the outposts on the borders of Laos and Cambodia look up in the sky and behold turkeys and cases of beer fluttering to earth on cargo parachutes.

When the nurse in the ward at the field hospital smiles her bravest smile and tries to pretend that the dying kid whose hand she's holding really will see another Christmas.

When, in spite of all the mess sergeant's miracles and the supply sergeant's decorations, you steal away from the guys around the piano and stand among the darkened tents wondering what she's doing now and if the kids have seen their presents and if it'll all be over some day.

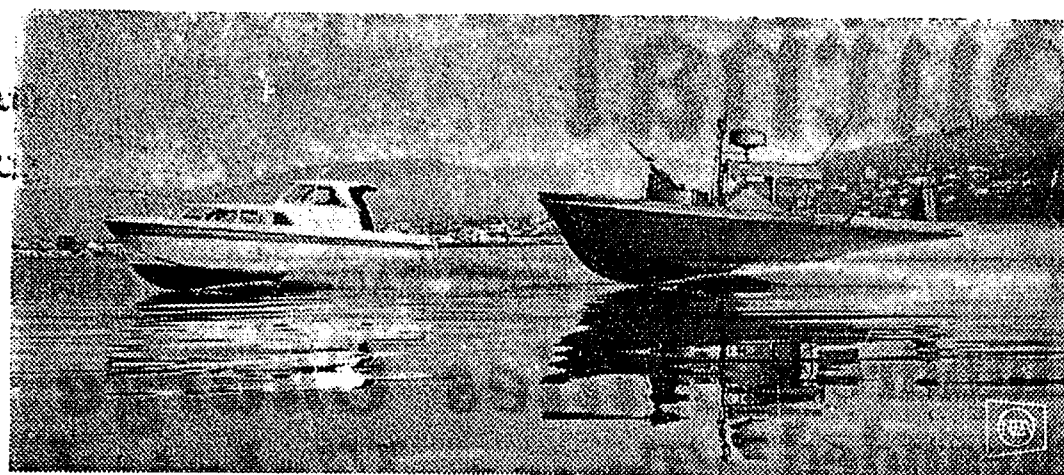
When the fifth grade English class at the local grammar school shows up in the compound and even the artillerymen plug up their ears at the singing-song caterwauling of "O Riddle Town of Bed-lam, How Steer We See Thee Rye."

You know it's Christmas in Vietnam—

When the mess sergeant gets up with a smile at 2 a.m. to baste his turkeys in the tiny field oven and, for the first time since the outfit came over, replaces his steel helmet with a white chef's hat.

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BOATS ARE BEING DRAFTED for war use by the U.S. Navy, for river patrol action in Vietnam. The same 31-foot glass fiber hull used in pleasure boats is converted to military purposes, and can travel at high speeds through swamp water as shallow as 10 inches. The hulls are easily maintained and repaired after combat. Here a patrol boat scoots after its sister ship, a 31-foot pleasure cruiser.

Over 100 Attend Chapin Circle's Family Night

On Sunday, Dec. 4 the Mary and Martha Circle of St. Paul's Lutheran church of Chapin held a family night potluck in the church basement. The basement was gaily decorated with a lighted Christmas tree and other decorations in keeping with the holiday season. One hundred and two attended.

During the first part of the program, Rev. N. L. Bultman showed slides of Bethlehem which he had taken on his trip there last April.

The second part of the program consisted of several duets by Marsha and Mike Post, accompanied by Mrs. Eugene Post, and instrumental numbers by Mary Middendorf and Marilyn and Byron Schroeder, accompanied by Mrs. Wendell Middendorf.

At the close of the program the society's adopted seminary student, Clarence Kindsch, and his family were honored with a grocery shower. These gifts were presented by the entertainment committee consisting of Mrs. John Schroeder, Mrs. Arthur Nergenh and Mrs. Carl Tiemann.

The dessert, consisting of cake and ice cream, and coffee and kool-aid, was furnished by the following hostesses: Mrs. Raymond Werries, Mrs. Eugene Post, Mrs. Robert Burrus, Mrs. Louis Werries, Mrs. Carlton Schumacher, Mrs. Paul Nickel and Mrs. Olga Werries.

Attending were the honored guests, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kindsch, Lowell and Jon, Mr.

and Mrs. Erwin Aufdenkamp, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Boatman, Mr. and Mrs. Gerhardt Boehs, Dennis and Sandra, Mrs. Jack Brown, Terry, Timmy, Teddy, Jacqueline, Chris, Kara and Janice Brown, Joey Smith, Pastor and Mrs. N. L. Bultman, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burrus and Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Elfred Detmer, Mrs. Flora Fricke, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fricke, Mrs. Ricketcha Kunzeman.

Mrs. Rachel Long, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Middendorf and Mary, Mrs. Tillie Schone, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nergenh, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nickel, Elaine, Jane, Bruce and Rose Ann, Mr. and Mrs. William Nienhiser, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Nienhiser, David, John and Carol, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Post, Marsha and Mike.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Russwinkel and Jacob; Henry Russwinkel; Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Schone; Mr. and Mrs. John Schroeder, Marilyn, Byron and Darlene.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Schumacher, David and Arthur; Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Schumacher; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Staake; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Tappenbeck; Terry and Naydene.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tiemann and Dean; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Weber; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Werries and Randy; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Werries.

Mrs. Olga Werries, Paul Werries, Mrs. Louis Werries; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wohlens, Donald, Richard and Cheryl and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Staake, Marsha, Marla and Mark.

A carol and prayer closed the meeting. A gift exchange revealed m y s t e r y pals. New names were drawn for the next year.

Mrs. Ricketcha Kunzeman, Miss Ada Schumacher and Mrs. Raymond Fricke planned entertainment. Children present were Billy Berghaus, Janice Brown, Carol Nienhiser, Jacob Russwinkel and Cheryl Wohlens.

CHANDLERVILLE MASONS TO MEET MONDAY EVENING

CHANDLERVILLE — The Chandlerville Masonic lodge will hold its regular meeting at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the Chandlerville Masonic hall.

Chandlerville Locals Raymond Cooper, who operated a repair shop in Chandlerville for many years, recently sold his business to Ralph Kennedy. He is now employed at Asa's Sales and Service.

Mrs. Cecil Stone and Arlene and Mrs. Sadie Dick were Monday shoppers in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Jurgens visited patients at Virginia nursing homes Thursday.

Mrs. Kathryn Clegg is spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan Welsh and family of Kewanee. She drove to Canton with Mrs. Lucille Murphy and continued the trip with a daughter.

WAVERLY SEAMAN IN VIETNAM

DA NANG, Vietnam (FHTNC) — Construction Electrician Third Class Charles Ross, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ross of Waverly, Route two, has reported for duty at the Naval Support Activity in Da Nang, Vietnam.

The activity was established to meet increased requirements for combat logistic support of operations in Vietnam. Approximately 3,500 Navy officers and men are being assigned to the activity.

Their tasks will include off-loading ships and handling supplies from razor blades to road-graders, aircraft fuel and lubricants, and provisions of all kinds, through the port of Da Nang and over beaches from the demilitarized zone in the north to Chu Lai in the south.

Mrs. Don Wagner New President Of Church Group

Mrs. Don Wagner was elected president of the Altar and Rosary Society of Church of Our Saviour at a meeting held December 12 in the Routh Cafeteria.

Other officers are Mrs. Jerry Luber, vice president; Mrs. John Vahle, secretary; and Mrs. James Angelo, treasurer.

Preceding the business meeting Sister Marilyn directed the Routh Chorus singing beautiful Christmas carols.

Rev. Monsignor Michael O. Driscoll opened the meeting with prayers. Mrs. Howard DeGroot, president, presided. Minutes were read by the secretary, Mrs. George Bannan, and Mrs. Frank Costello gave the treasurer's report. Mrs. Joseph Racila was chairman of the nominating committee, assisted by Mrs. Charles Davis and Mrs. Russell Floyd.

Final committee reports were given by these chairmen: Mrs. Paul Wagner, religious activities; Mrs. Ray Shanley, welfare; Mrs. Charles Lockman, membership; Mrs. Vincent Flynn, program.

Mrs. John Vahle, communications; Mrs. William Baulos, social and Mrs. Herl Jordan, ways and means. Mrs. Jordan reported the recent chili supper and bazaar was very successful. Special reports were given by Mrs. Rose Suter, Mrs. Robert Thieman, Mrs. Norbert McGinnis and Mrs. Roger Jaques.

Mrs. Wagner presided at the latter part of the meeting. Monsignor Driscoll addressed the group, thanking the retiring officers and extending a welcome to the new officers, and then offered the closing prayers.

The attractive serving table was gaily decorated with a beautiful Christmas cloth and poinsettias over which co-hostesses, Mrs. Jerry Luber and Mrs. Robert Thieman, presided. Punch, coffee, Christmas candies and cookies were served.

FRED MOULTONS OF WHITE HALL VISIT BAHAMAS

WHITE HALL — Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moulton have returned from a five day vacation trip to the Bahamas Islands, given in recognition for sales work by the John Deere Company. They joined a large group from all over the United States and went by jet to the Islands.

Miss Dorothy M. Young are spending Christmas in East St. Louis at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Murphy. Mrs. Joseph Hashman, her sister and Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Mungall of Godfrey, are also Christmas guests in the Murphy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Griswold are spending today with their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Paul Carter in Alton. Mr. Carter has recently been transferred from Cincinnati, Ohio to St. Louis.

Earl Spangenberg of Germany is spending the Christmas holidays with his family who reside here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ruble of East Lansing, Mich., are spending Christmas with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ray, David Bottom, a student at Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bottom.

WINCHESTER CITY EMPLOYEES ENJOY 1st GET-TOGETHER

WINCHESTER — Mayor and Mrs. William Moss entertained the entire staff of Winchester city officials and employees at a chicken dinner Dec. 12th at Fletchers cafe here.

The mayor welcomed guests and following the fine meal City Attorney Richard Mann spoke about Winchester. The speaker commended city clerk Lynn Dieterle on his 25 years of service and Mrs. Mary Hanks on 20 years as assistant clerk and Mayor Moss for almost 19 years service to the city, having served the last two terms as mayor. Mann presented Moss with a large wooden key to the city, on behalf of the Winchester city officials.

Clerk Dieterle spoke of the many changes during his time serving the city and treasurer Paul Lehman spoke regarding the financial condition of Winchester.

Assistant clerk Mary Hanks presented Mayor Moss a gift on behalf of the city employees. Mention was made of the colorful appearance of the City Water Plant after Christmas decorations were supplied by Buell Patterson.

The only city employee unable to attend was Allan Smith and Mrs. Smith. Attending were Ed Haggard, Dale Pittenger, Don White, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frost.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. Verne Hostetter, Mr. and Mrs. Addie Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Denton Conrod, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anders, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Dieterle.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mann, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lehman, Mr. and Mrs. Buell Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Foy Pence, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pence, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Evans, Catherine Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Guinane and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hanks.

This was the first time city personnel has had a get-together.

OWENS FILLS PITTSFIELD ALDERMAN POSITION

PITTSFIELD — At a recent meeting of the Pittsfield city council Mayor Frank Penstone named Clay Owens as second alderman of the second ward. Owens fills the vacancy of Wilbur Bartlett who resigned some fifteen months ago. The appointment was approved by the council and the new alderman will be seated at the January 3rd meeting.

Also assisting on the committee were Rosalie Hofmann, Jean Kennedy, Helen Blesse, Dorothy Brennan, Agnes Costello, Mary Curtis, Mildred Davis, Marion Doyle, Lucille Eilerling, Alvina Forrester, Catherine Gaudio, Peggy Langdon, Rose O'Connell, Marge Racila, Mary Rainville, Norma Tavender, Mrs. Earl Terwische, Marie Clancy and Mrs. Earl Walters.

The next meeting of the Altar Society will be held on Monday, January 9.

OES Has Grand Appointments At Greenfield

GREENFIELD — Members of Greenfield Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, have received appointments to Grand Chapter committees. The announcement was made by the chapter secretary, Mrs. G. L. Bauer, Tuesday evening during the regular meeting of the local chapter.

A potluck supper and officer instruction, conducted by Grand Lecturer, Mrs. Clyde Cole, preceded the meeting. Serving this year are Helen McKenzie, Macon Aide, Lola Elmore, arthritis foundation; Eileen Cole, blood bank; Mildred Bauer, international temple; Fay Melvin, Esther; Delores Nash, hospital visitation.

Janet Morrow, endowment trust fund; Helen Wilton, Rockefeller aide; Dorothy Converse, medical assistance; Mildred Becker, Easter Star promotion; Olive Hamilton, publicity.

Virginia Knisley, Christian fellowship; Wanda Meng, Chapter friendship; Florence Price, Christian fellowship; Elita Strang, blood bank; Rozetta Twitchell, hospital visitation.

Clyde Cole, youth welfare; Gravel Bauer, Virgil Bauer, Russell Morrow, and Russell Shields, Fraternal Transportation; James Nash, Eastern Star Promotion; Willard Hamilton, Hospital visitation; Claude Linn, medical assistance; Martin Roth, Eastern Star promotion.

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Pre-Christmas Dinners Held At Patterson

PATTERSON — Those attending a pre-Christmas dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hicks and family were, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Odwom and children, Mike, Michele and Mark, Dr. and Mrs. Robert McKinney, Alan and Lynette of Jacksonville, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stewart and daughter Kimberly of White Hall and Mrs. Nona Odwom of Patterson.

A pre-Christmas dinner was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Dawdy, Judy, Reva and Randy. Attending were, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bacon, Dean and Bradley of Pekin, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Boirm and daughter Mindy of Jerseyville, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dawdy and Marsha Tudy of Carrollton, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilkenson and Charles Cowper and son Stanley, of Patterson and Miss Pam Allen of White Hall.

Donna and Elaine Shive of White Hall, Mary, Sara, David and Neal Hicks visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Norville Hicks recently and helped them with preparations for Christmas.

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Jessie Dawdy were Mr. and Mrs. Basil Dawdy and Mrs. Gary Dawdy, Roseanne and Timmy of White Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Garry Barnett and daughter Lori of Jacksonville were Sunday supper guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Barnett.

Mrs. Georgia Ford spent the weekend in Wood River in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bruce and family.

Bill Jenkinson attended the annual Christmas party for former employees of National Lead Co. in Granite City. He

spent the night in Alton with Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kittell, returning home the following morning.

Mrs. Nona Odwom spent Tuesday in Jacksonville, shopping and visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Odwom and Dr. and Mrs. R. S. McKinney and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jenkinson spent Friday in Springfield and visited Mrs. Flo Edmonds.



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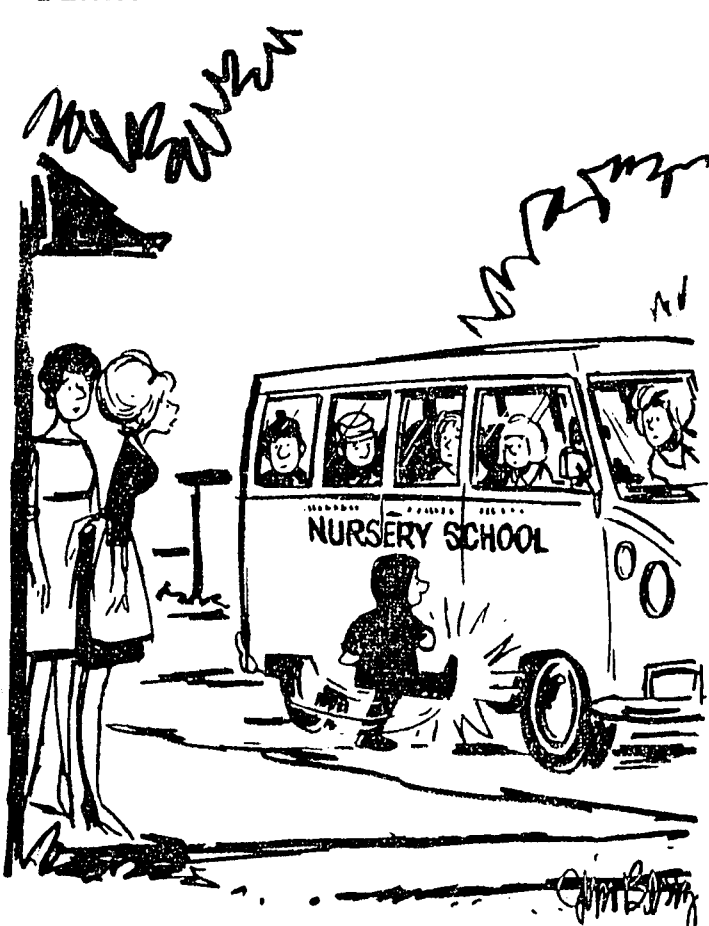
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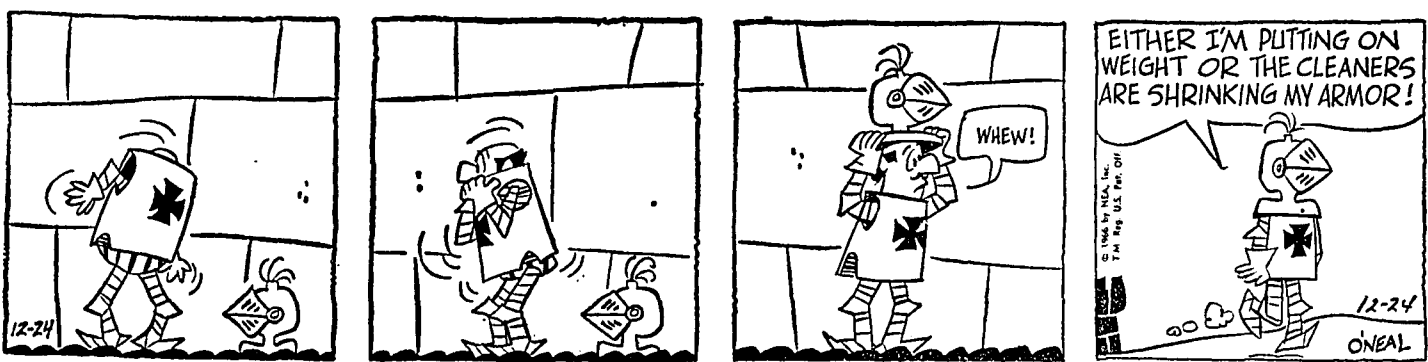


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THE MORTGAGE STORY: UPWARD BOUND	
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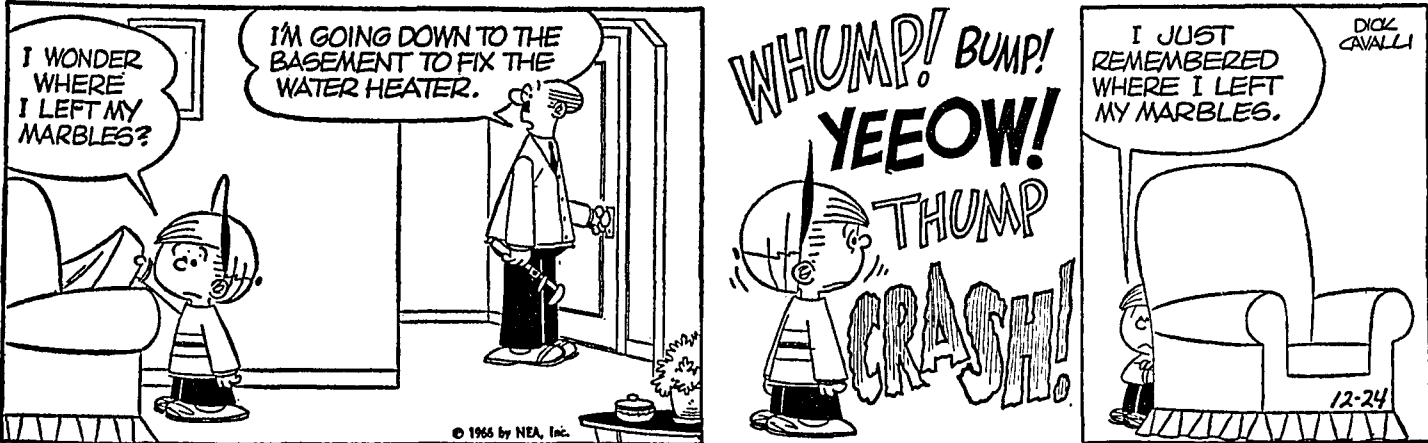
A few percentage points tell the story of tight money in the home mortgage market. Federal Home Loan Board figures show that average mortgage rates across the country for both new and older houses in October had edged upward

SHORT RIBS



WINTHROP

By DICK CAVALLI



ARMSTRONG-DAVIS GROUP MEETS AT WALKER RESIDENCE

The Armstrong-Davis CWF Group of Central Christian church met Tuesday morning, December 20th at 9 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Hayden Walker, #6 Pitner Place. Mrs. William Fanning was assistant and presided at the table.

The hostesses served coffee, tea, decorated Christmas rolls, candies and nutmeats. The table

was attractive with a red cloth and lighted tapers. Christmas music was enjoyed during the social period.

Mrs. Russell Armstrong presided at the meeting with 15 members and one guest present. Lovely and appropriate devotions were prepared and given by Mrs. Alva Stainforth. The devotional center was set with a table bearing a red cloth signifying Love, and as Mrs. Stainforth read the Christmas story, she lighted the candles on the table. A poem, "Inside Christmas" concluded her devotions.

The program was "Christmas in Other Lands" and was given by Rev. Don Zumwalt, assistant minister. Interesting facts pertaining to the present day traditional celebrations at Christmas as well as customs in various countries. Women's Day will be January 8 when the women will assume responsibilities of the service. Volunteers from each group will serve. Mrs. Wm. Sturgess will bring the morning message.

Tentative plans were made for a youth group meal to be served in January and the tea for the general meeting in January. The next meeting will be at the Illinois Christian Home in Jacksonville at 9:30 a.m. Jan. 17.

SIDE GLANCES

By Gill Fox



"It'll make a lovely conversation piece, and if the cost of living keeps going up we can weave our own cloth!"

PAT STANDISH WINS DAR AWARD AT CHANDLERVILLE

CHANDLERVILLE — Miss Patricia Standish has been presented Chandlerville High School's D.A.R. award. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Standish.

The award is presented yearly by members of the Daughters of the American Revolution and is made on the basis of leadership and citizenship.

Chandlerville Items Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mason, accompanied by their son and daughter-in-law, arrived Friday for a weekend visit with Mr. Mason's sister, Mrs. Ruby Force.

tended a pre-Christmas dinner Sunday with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Roloff who recently moved from Athens to Edinburg.

Mrs. Ruby Force and Mrs. Robert Force were Monday afternoon business callers in Jacksonville.

Mrs. Elliott Garner has been notified that her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Charles Waterfield, underwent surgery at Mason District hospital in Havana last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Garner were recent Springfield callers.

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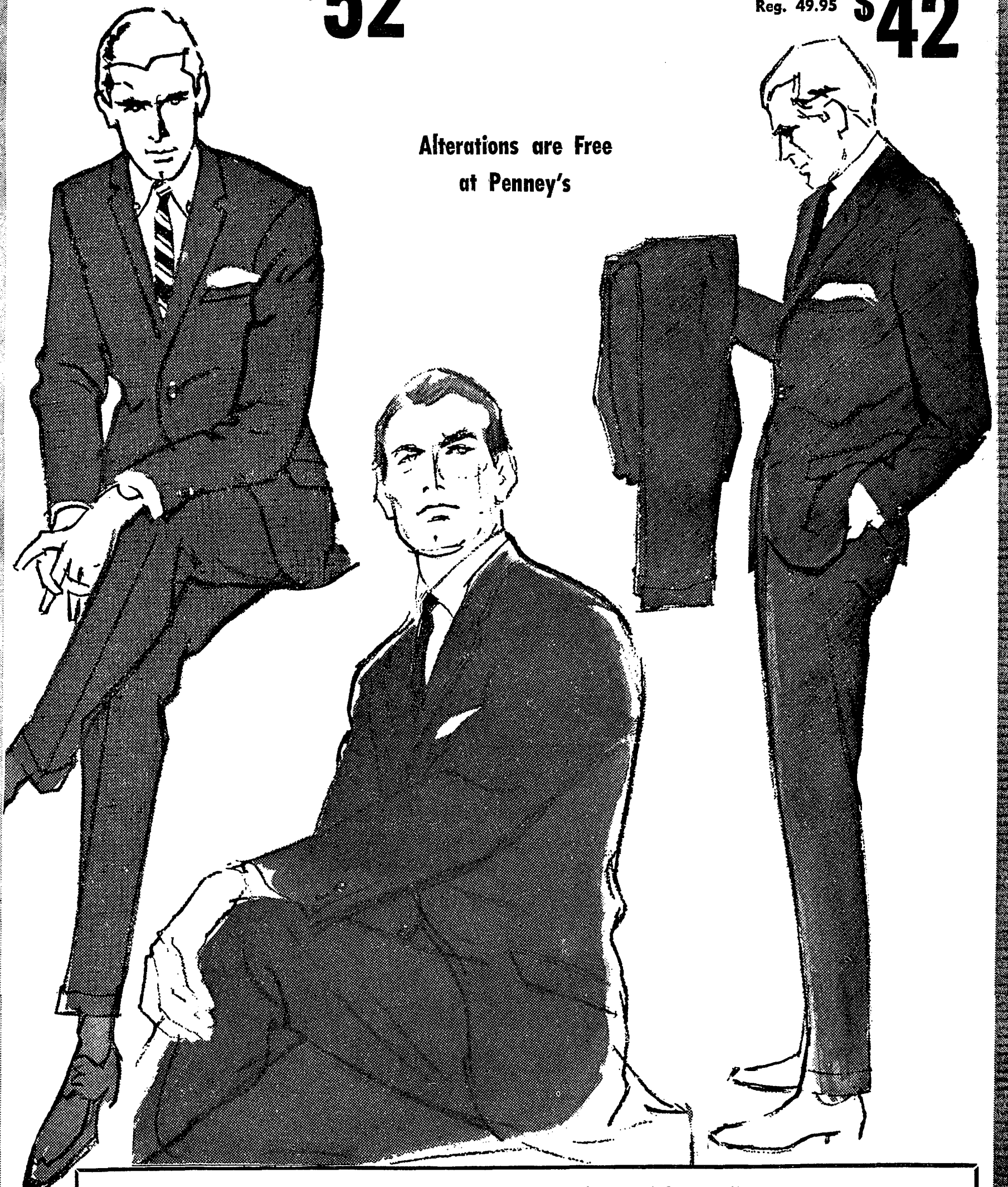
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family, Peoria and Mr. and Mrs. Art Jones and family, St. Louis, Mo.

Verna B. Taylor of Roodhouse, and Hanna McKleroy of Jacksonville were guests of Richard Tschetter, director of volunteer services at Jacksonville State Hospital, at a play presented by the Springfield Theatre Guild, recently.

The play entitled "The Advocate" dramatizes the Sacco-Vanzetti trial of the 1920's and Mrs. Tschetter played the part of Vanzetti, one of the prisoners.

Mrs. Elmer Houseman is spending the holidays with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Houseman, and family of Waukesha, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Howard of Springfield and Mrs. Claude Pinkerton of Roodhouse have returned from a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thurlio Gray and Mrs. Jennie Painter of Hammond, Ind. Mrs. Painter returned home with them and will spend a week in the home of her sister.

The 81st birthday anniversary of Mrs. Elmer Coffman was celebrated Sunday, Dec. 18, with a carry-in dinner with the following present: her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Coffman, her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Ferguson Jr., and Miss Pearl Gidney. Mrs. Coffman received a number of gifts including one

Activities Of Morgan Health Department

For Week of December 26-31
 Monday, Dec. 26
CLOSED - HOLIDAY
 Tuesday, Dec. 27
 Inspection of Hauling Trucks by Sanitarian
 Wednesday, Dec. 28
 12:30 p.m. Jacksonville Well Child Conference - by appointment only.
 Inspection of Hauling Trucks by Sanitarian
 Thursday, Dec. 29
 9:00 a.m. Meredosa Well

from her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Park, El Paso, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Taylor attended a family dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Parker of Chesterfield, where a gift exchange was held. Others attending included Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Watret and family, Franklin; Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Basil Taylor and children and Mrs. Carolyn Kilver of Winchester. Mrs. Kilver has just received word that her husband, serving in the Navy, has been transferred from Italy to Greece.

Child Conference - by appointment only.

Inspection of Hauling Trucks by Sanitarian

Friday, Dec. 30

Survey of Landfill by Sanitarian

Saturday, Dec. 31

Closed—New Year Holiday

Rushville Bank Names Officers

RUSHVILLE — The directors of the Rushville State Bank at a meeting held Dec. 20 elected C. S. Loring chairman of the board.

Other officers are Guy H. Miller, president; Homer Cox, cashier; Maurice Langner, Richard Schenk, Francis D. Boehm, Hildreth Moore and Ruth W. Thrembel, assistant cashiers.

Cub Scouts Meet

Cubmaster Morris presented awards at the meeting Tuesday of Troop 35. Bob cat pins were presented to Terry Knowles and Robert Phillips; wolf badge to David Edwards; bear badge to Steven Peacock, James Clark, Scott Phillips and Tommy Kerr; lion badge, Kirk Lowery, Timmy Eck, Larry Grate, Robert Strong and Craig Boyd; silver arrows, Randy Root and Steven Boehm.

Christmas baskets were pre-

Educational Tax Rate Hike Asked At Beardstown

BEARDSTOWN — An increase in the tax rate for educational purposes to the maximum level has been recommended to the school board by the local Citizen's Advisory committee. The increased finances would allow the board to improve the system through the employment of a curriculum coordinator, a second guidance director, additional library facilities and an auxiliary building for auto mechanics.

The committee also recommended purchase of a house and lot at 8th and Clay street near the Lincoln school for \$8,500. The house would be razed to provide additional playground area and the purchase would make the entire block on which the school is located school property.

New Principal

School board members received these recommendations at their meeting Thursday night. Margaret Grammer has been

pared for needy families and Den 2 presented a short skit. Santa Claus arrived to distribute the gifts and refreshments were served by the den mothers.

appointed as the new principal of Gard school, to succeed George Conner who has been elected Cass county superintendent of schools.

Costs Up

Another indication of rising costs was seen in the report of Mrs. Harriett Vernon, who is in charge of the school cafeteria. She has carried out all recommendations of the state in operating the cafeteria, but faces the problem of rising food costs, expenses for help, and the decrease in the amount of government surplus items available.

Named V.P.

Superintendent of Schools Loren Lemmon of Beardstown has been named a vice president of the West Central Illinois Educational Television Association.

Educators in this area have agreed to keep abreast with developments in this field in order to take advantage of any opportunity to attract an educational television station in the area.

Assistant Professor James Prange of Western Illinois University has indicated that some preliminary investigations have been made on the matter.

This applies to all mail receptacles and the mail in them, even though the boxes are bought by citizens and are their personal property.

Mailboxes Protected By Federal Law

Mailboxes are protected by federal law and pranks of vandals who damage or destroy the boxes and their contents may be in for a heavy fine or imprisonment, warns Postmaster Phillip Day.

The postmaster reports that some 25,000 mail receptacles were damaged or destroyed in the past year. It was also noted that 2,641 persons were arrested in the year up to June 30 for damaging or destroying mail receptacles.

Postmaster Day quoted from the law: "Whoever willfully or maliciously injures, tears down or destroys any letter box or other receptacle intended or used for the receipt or delivery of mail on any mail route, or breaks open the same or willfully or maliciously injures, defaces or destroys any mail deposited therein, shall be fined not more than \$1000 or imprisoned not more than three years."

This applies to all mail receptacles and the mail in them, even though the boxes are bought by citizens and are their personal property.

"Pranksters — and especially children who do not know any better — should be made to realize the seriousness of their actions," the postmaster said. "A \$1,000 fine or a term in jail is enough to take the humor out of any prank."

Pranks Not Appreciated
 Often the mailbox damage is the work of youths, who do it for "kicks." And the courts have shown little sympathy for this youthful means of expression. In Michigan, a justice sentenced two 18-year-olds to 10 days in jail, including two on a diet of baby food. The diet specification, explained the judge, was because the youths "acted like babies." They were also fined \$25 each plus \$15 costs.

In New York state, five youths were fined \$25 each plus restitution or restoration, plus no driving for an indefinite period, plus 8 p.m. curfew, plus a written analysis by each of a magazine article entitled "A Judge Gets Tough on Hoodlums."

Two Iowa youths who damaged 39 mailboxes were required to personally apologize to each boxholder in addition to making repairs or providing a new box.

In Missouri, three 17-year-olds lost their driving privileges, were given a 9 p.m. curfew, and had to report twice weekly to juvenile authorities. They had damaged 63 mailboxes.

And in Arkansas, four juveniles faced the following: (1) no driving until further notice, (2) a 10 p.m. curfew, (3) return to court in a month with letters from their school principals reporting on grades and attitudes, (4) full restitution of all damages, and (5) wear a sign for 30 days stating "I have not learned to respect the property of others."

Dinner Program For Business Women's Class

Twenty-five members, guests and former members of the Business Women's Bible class of Central Christian church, attended the group's annual Christmas turkey dinner served Dec. 15th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Lakin, 833 South Main street.

The home was beautifully decorated with poinsettias and greenery. Christmas corsages were favors. Rev. William Sturgess offered grace before the meal. Christmas recordings were enjoyed during the dinner.

Following a cordial welcome by the host couple the program chairman, Mrs. Clyde H. Landreth, introduced Mrs. Marie Shearburn, class teacher, who read a Christmas prayer. Mrs. Marjorie Prather favored the group with accordion selections and carols were sung.

Bradley J. Kwinski, art instructor at Illinois School for the Deaf presented the program showing many uses of foil and paper in making decorations and wrapping packages. He employed use of the common newspaper into an attractive gift wrap noting with ingenuity anything from an umbrella to an elephant can be gift wrapper.

A gift exchange was enjoyed with distribution made from a lighted tree. Special appreciation gifts were presented Mrs. Shearburn, teacher and Jessie Lakin, dinner hostess, on behalf of the class.

Members attending were Mrs. Lakin, Mrs. Landreth, Lucille Heller, Edna Bailey, Mildred Brown, Sadie Brown, Flora Sanders, Janet Williams.

Mildred Davidson, Freda Releford, Leone Pearson, Joyce Mansfield, Mildred Ahlquist, Virginia Armitage, Mrs. Shearburn and Virginia Adams.

Former members, Barbara Rose, Bertha Simonds, Louis Fanning, Fern Crain and Hettie Devore and these guests, Rev. and Mrs. William Sturgess, Mrs. Marjorie Prather and Bradley J. Kwinski, attended.

CLUB OFFICERS HOST LUNCHEON

VIRGINIA — The officers of the Household Science club were hostesses at a luncheon held Dec. 15 at the Hi Way cafe.

During the short business session a collection for the card and flower fund was taken with Mrs. A. L. Lewis appointed chairman.

Mrs. Jesse Mefford presented a Christmas program and Mrs. Lewis was accompanist for the singing of carols.

A gift exchange was enjoyed, mystery pals were revealed and names drawn for the coming year. Bingo was played during the social hour with prizes going to Mrs. Louise Thompson, Mrs. Lucille Knight, Miss Ann Quigg, Mrs. Bertha Brockhouse and Mrs. A. L. Lewis.

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North Greene Board Hires 2 New Teachers

WHITE HALL — Members of the Board of Directors of North Greene Unit District 3 met this past week with the president, William Hal Wolfe, presiding.

Teaching contracts were approved for Craig Keller of White Hall and Billy Joe McKinney of Aurora. Mr. Keller started his duties as business education and PE instructor last week. Mr. McKinney will begin his work at the resumption of classes following the Christmas vacation. He will teach biology, replacing Mrs. Helen Ruth Wheeler of Manchester, who was filling the vacancy created in that post some time back.

The board voted to purchase the Ethel Price Fox property at Patterson, which is located adjacent to the school property. The land will be used for a parking lot.

CARROLLTON BPW UNIT HAS HOLIDAY DINNER

CARROLLTON — Mrs. Rosemary Hardwick of Carrollton, BPW district chairman, was the guest speaker at a Christmas dinner meeting of the Carrollton Business and Professional Women's Club held Monday at Day's Colonial Room. Mrs. Hardwick explained the BPW Foundation and received a gift from the club.

Mrs. James Graves, president of the club whose birthday is Christmas Day read a poem from the Illinois Bulletin, entitled "How to Grow Old." She announced that a board meeting will be held at her home January 5, for all officers and chairmen.

The club has collected \$31 for the Boyd Memorial Hospital Fund Drive with a goal of \$100 for the club year.

Mrs. Richard Mehrhoff suggested that all members join the adult public speaking class to be given at Carrollton High School, beginning January 4.



COULDN'T WAIT — PEKIN, Ill. — Some kids just can't wait till Christmas! Inquisitive little 5-month-old Jeffery White just knew that there was something under the tree for him, only problem was finding which box it was in. Judging by that big smile on Jeffery's face, he finally found what he was looking for. (UPI Telephoto)

CHANDLERVILLE LEGION AUXILIARY HAS YULE MEETING

CHANDLERVILLE — The Chandlerville American Legion Auxiliary's Christmas party was held Tuesday evening at the Legion hall with 21 members present for the event.

Mrs. Ted Ingram opened the meeting and prayer was offered by Mrs. Ruby Force.

A \$25 donation to help pay for band uniforms was approved and will be sent to the Band Boosters organization. Also approved was a \$50 donation to the Legion unit to help pay for insurance.

Auxiliary members will serve dinner for the Optimist club's county meeting in Virginia, Jan. 19.

The unit received a note of appreciation from Jacksonville State Hospital, for a veteran's birthday party held in November.

During the social hour bingo prizes were won by Mrs. Clifford Cook, Mrs. Edward Leinberger, Mrs. Euna Lynn and Mrs. Homer Hunt. Mrs. Leo Finn received the door prize. A gift exchange was held and re-

freshments were served by Mrs. Loran Thompson, Mrs. Grace Sanders and Mrs. E. A. Harbison.

Hostesses for the January meeting will be Mrs. Leo Finn, Mrs. Paul Snyder and Mrs. Edward Leinberger.

RAWE COUPLE OF CARROLLTON TO CELEBRATE

CARROLLTON — Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rawe of Carrollton will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary at the annual family Christmas dinner to be held Sunday in the Knights of Columbus Hall. Hosts are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rawe, also of Carrollton.

The Rawes are parents of six children, all at home with the exception of Pte Ronald Rawe who is in Vietnam. The other children are Mrs. Nancy Flynn, who is making her home with her parents while her husband is in service, Donald, Leonard, Glenn and Cathy. They also have one grandson, Kevin Flynn.

Others to be present Sunday will be Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Booth and family of Carroll-

ROODHOUSE WOMAN MARKS BIRTHDAY AT DINNER HERE

ROODHOUSE — A dinner at the Blackhawk Dec. 15 celebrated two birthday anniversaries, that of Mrs. Dewey Bryant of Roodhouse which occurred Wednesday, Dec. 21, and that of Cicero Beatty of New Salem which occurred on Dec. 24. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bryant of Roodhouse; Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Beatty of Williams-ville; and Mr. and Mrs. Cicero Beatty of New Salem.

Roodhouse Notes
Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Bucklin, Jr., and sons of Florida are spending the holidays with his

son; Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kinser Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kinser Jr., of Greenfield; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ballotti and family of Carlinville; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kinser and family of Brighton; Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kipling and family of Marietta, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Andy Cooney and daughters of Chenoa; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cooney and daughter of Peoria; and Charles Powell and Ben Rawe, both of Greenfield.

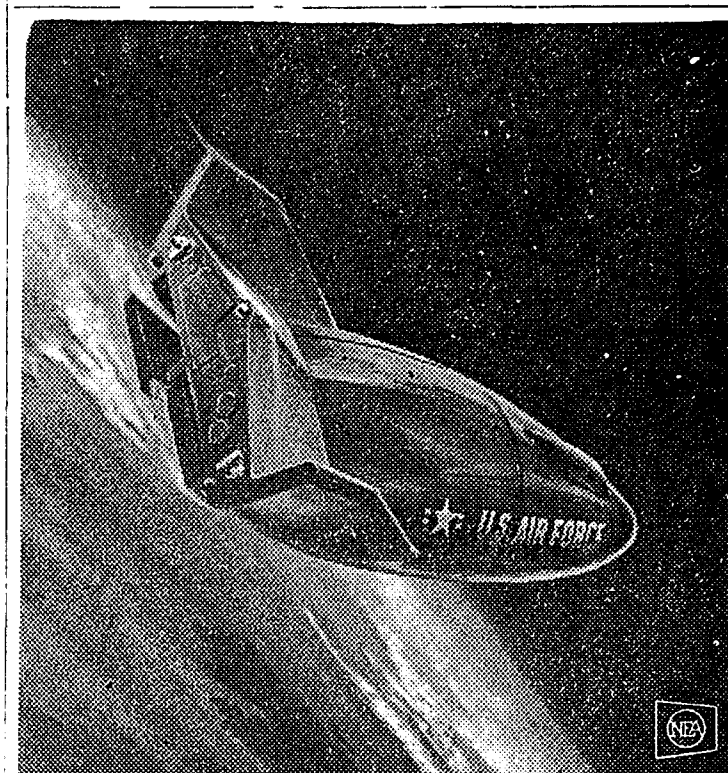
parents, Dr. and Mrs. N. J. Bucklin, Sr., with her mother in Winchester and with others.

Major Byron Battershell has returned to Fairborn, Ohio, to be with his family after three months service in Turkey. He expects to leave again in March for the same length of service in Spain. The Major is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Battershell of Roodhouse. Mrs. Battershell is the former Lois McConathy, sister of Ralph McConathy of this city.

Mrs. Clarence Edwards returned by plane Monday from Aberdeen, Wash., where she visited her sister, Mrs. Harvey R. Hudson, who is critically ill at the Community Hospital in that city. Mrs. Edwards also visited with her sister's husband, with nieces and others while there. Mr. Edwards, who suffered a stroke some time ago, spent the ten days his wife was gone in the Melrose Nursing Center in Jacksonville.

WRIST WATCHES
The wrist watch did not become popular until the turn of the 20th century; today there are 50 wrist watches made for every single pocket watch, according to the Encyclopaedia Britannica.

Journal Courier, Jacksonville, Ill., Dec. 25, 1960

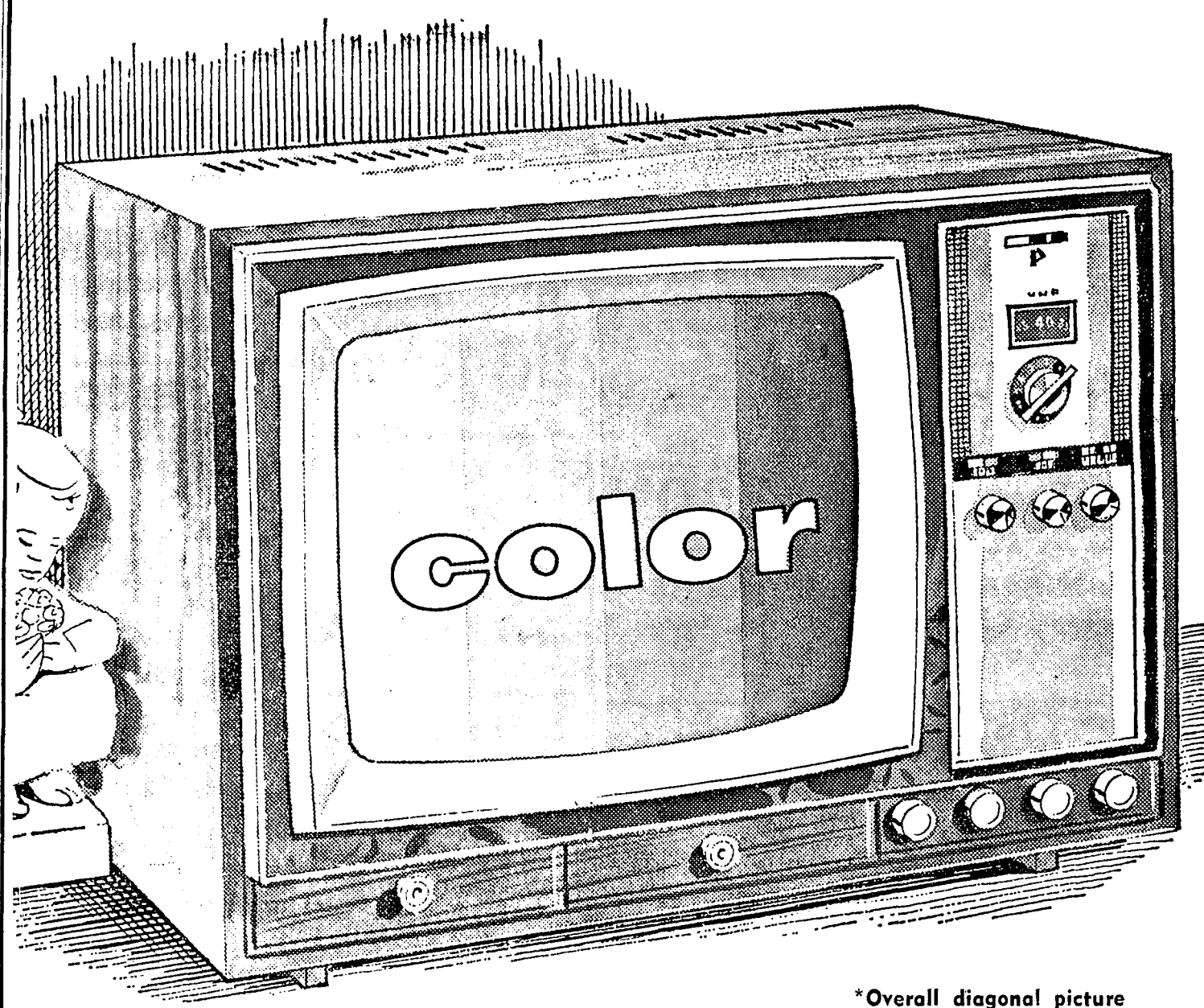


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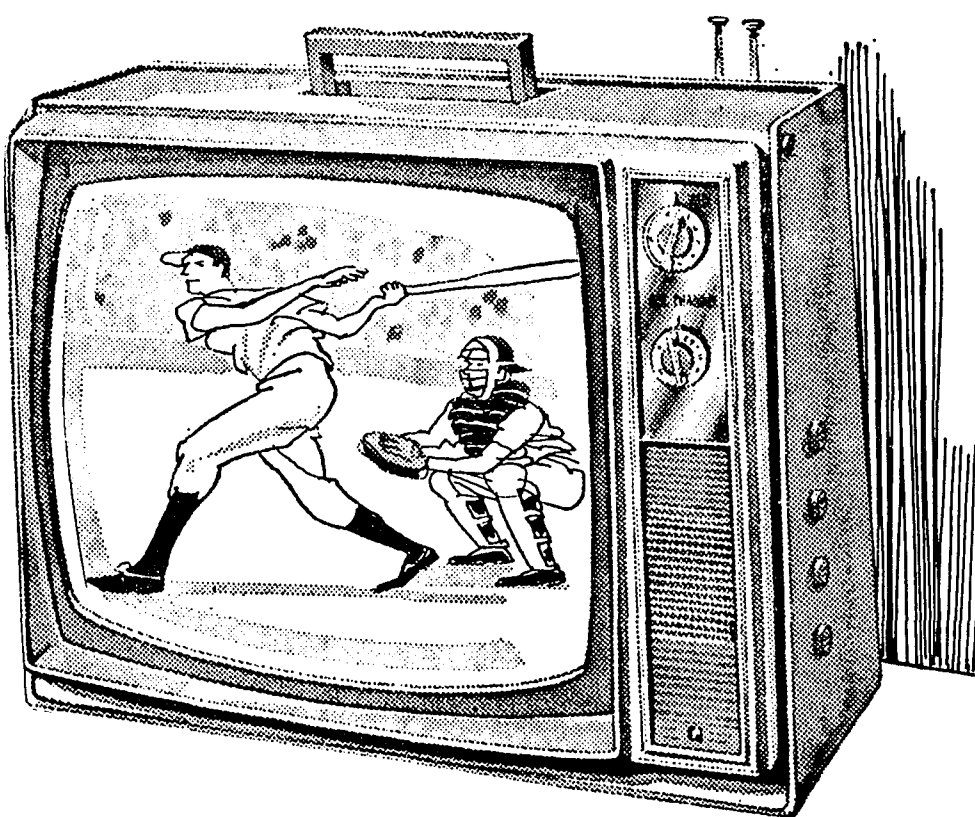
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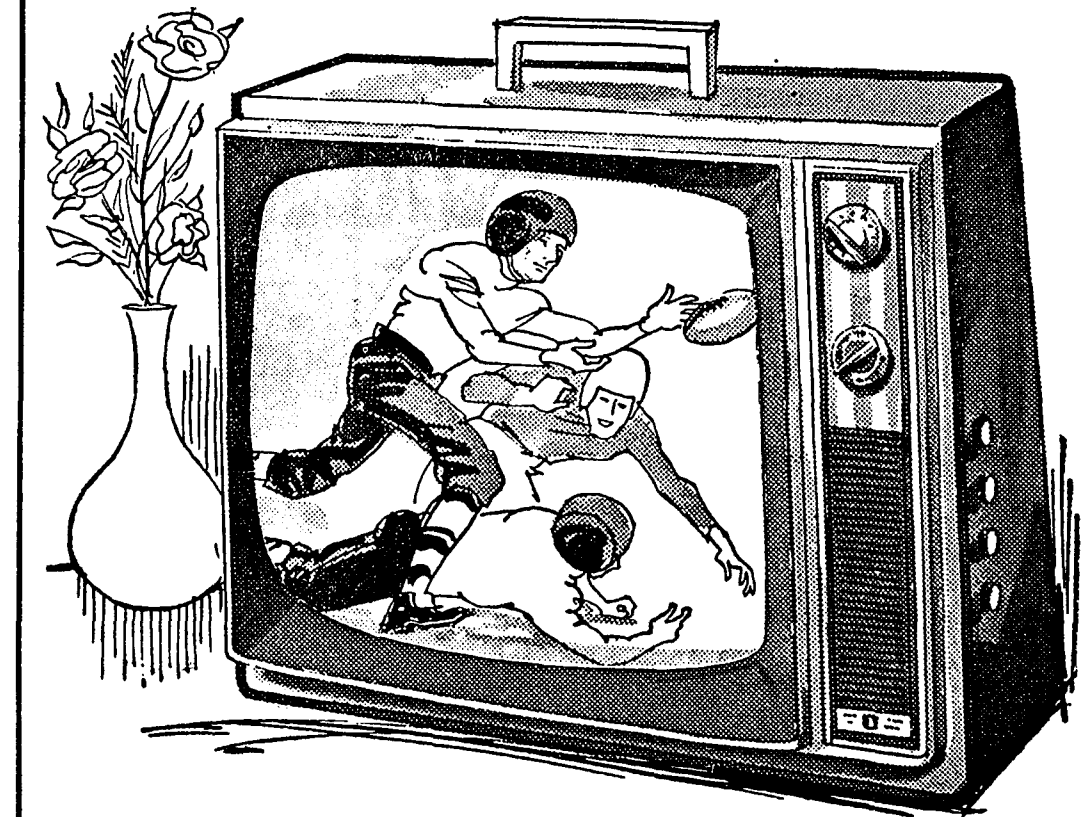
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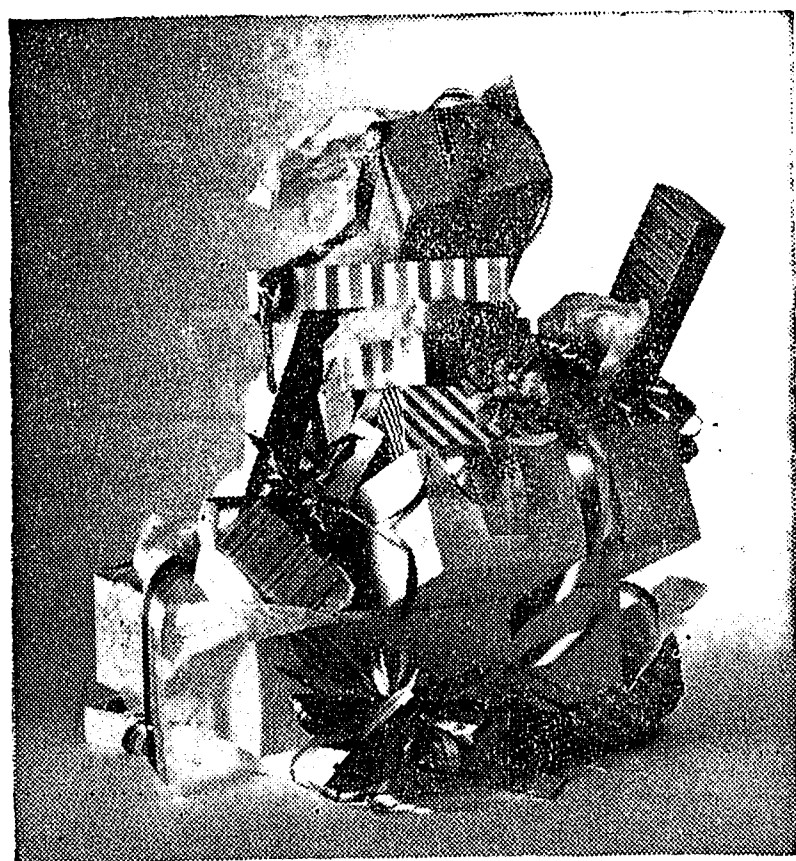
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WALNUT GROVE CLUB LUNCHEON IN CLINE HOME

VIRGINIA — A buffet luncheon was enjoyed by members of the Walnut Grove club Dec. 14 at the home of Mrs. Adlai Cline with Mrs. Howard Tucker and Mrs. Charles Quigg assisting the hostess.

After the luncheon a program was enjoyed with Mrs. Jesse Wilhite, president, presiding. Participating were Mrs. Roy Musch, Mrs. Cline and Miss Mildred Dinwiddle. A gift exchange brought the pleasant afternoon to a close.

Members present were Mrs. Chester Carls, Mrs. Adlai Cline, Mrs. Leo Devlin, Mrs. J. R. Fox, Mrs. J. E. Fox, Mrs. Gilmore Illias, Mrs. Larry Illias, Mrs. R. E. Fanning, Mrs. Maurice Jokisch, Mrs. Walter Murphy, Mrs. Elmer Parlier, Mrs. George Parlier, Mrs. Charles Quigg, Mrs. B. W. Peebles, Mrs. Howard Tucker, Mrs. Clyde Walbert, Miss Miriam Cline, Miss Mildred Dinwiddle.

Mrs. Horace Virgin was guest and Mrs. Harry Illias was welcomed as a new member.

Mrs. J. E. Fox and Mrs. Walbert were recognized for having perfect attendance. Each member received a year book for 1967.

Mrs. Leo Devlin will be hostess for the first meeting of the new year at 12:30 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 11. Mrs. Maurice

Jokisch and Mrs. Richard Fanning will be assistant hostesses. Officers for 1967 are Mrs. Walter Murphy, president; Mrs. George Parlier, vice president; Mrs. Robert Scholes, secretary-treasurer; and Ms. Leo Devlin, assistant.

BLUFFS BAPTIST CONGREGATION NAMES NEW PASTOR

BLUFFS — Reverend John Helenthal has been selected as the new pastor of the Bluffs Baptist church and will assume his duties here in early January.

Reverend Helenthal is married and is a former resident of White Hall.

Bluffs Locals

Paul Welch, who has been a surgical patient at Barnes Hospital in St. Louis, for the past two weeks returned to his home Thursday.

Mrs. Frank (Jennie) Lichamer who has lived in Bluffs for several years, has sold her home to Russell Collison and is now living in Springfield, having left Bluffs last weekend.

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P.M. Mrs. Joseph Casey Mrs. Bernard Lahey

Thursday, Dec. 29 A.M. Mrs. Chas. M. Ryan Mrs. Jerome Langdon

P.M. Mrs. Joe Foster Mrs. Lawrence Murphy

Friday, Dec. 30 A.M. Mrs. Bernard Lahey Mrs. J. D. Robinson

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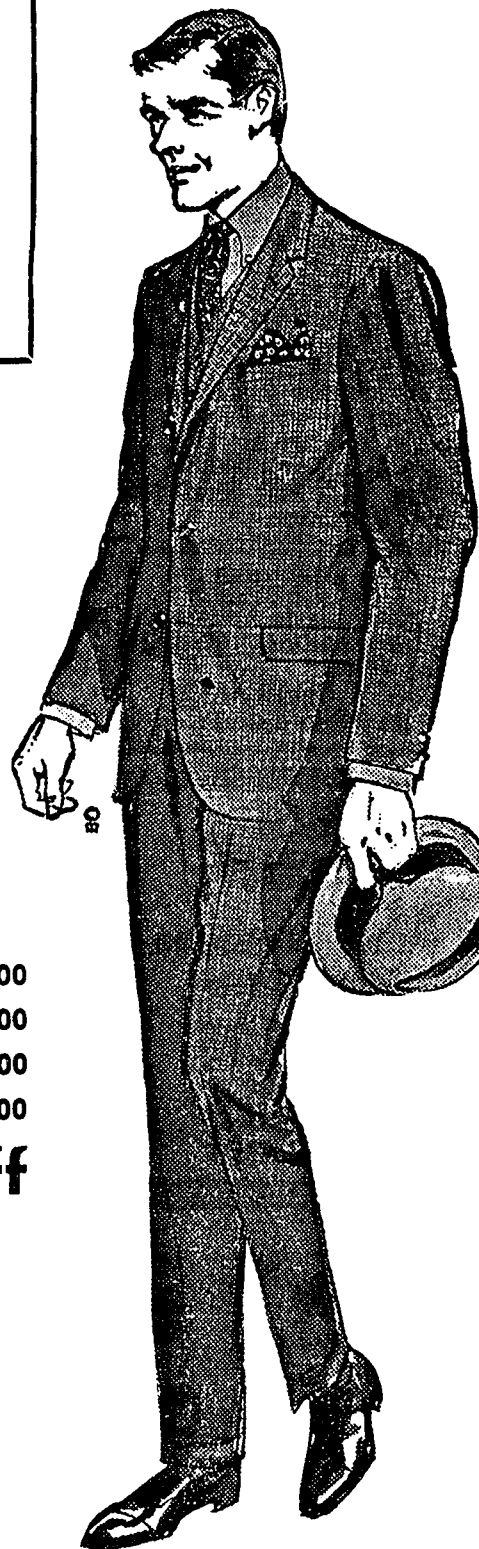
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Roodhouse Girl Bride



Mrs. Roger Kent Bigger

ROODHOUSE — A ceremony at the Union Methodist church in Quincy on November twenty-sixth, united in marriage Miss Sheila Ann Dean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hannaford of Roodhouse and Roger Kent Bigger of Quincy. The groom is the son of Mrs. Josephine Bigger of Quincy and the late Walter Bigger.

The Reverend Stanley K. Jensen performed the evening ceremony. Mrs. Gene Kelle was soloist and Wilford Nelson was at the organ. The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Harry Hannaford.

The bride's cousin, Miss Shan Hannaford, was maid of honor. Miss Chris Gilmore was bridesmaid and Mrs. Bruce Weber, Mrs. Rick Eversden and Mrs. John Darrah were bridesmaids.

The bride wore a Margot original gown of ivory organza and Alencon lace which featured a waist-length poncho of lace and a Chapel contour train. A cluster arrangement of lace tipped rosebuds and satin held her bouffant veil of ivory illusion. She carried triple topiary balls of snow crystal and snow drift pompons with pearlized and gold pompons and ivy.

The bride's attendants were gowned alike in floor length gowns of pale beige cotton over semi-fitted gold shantasilk sheaths. Their forward headpieces were of rosebuds and beige leaves with short gold veils. Each carried a topiary ball of gold cushion pompons touched with bronze poms and held by brown velvet loop handles.

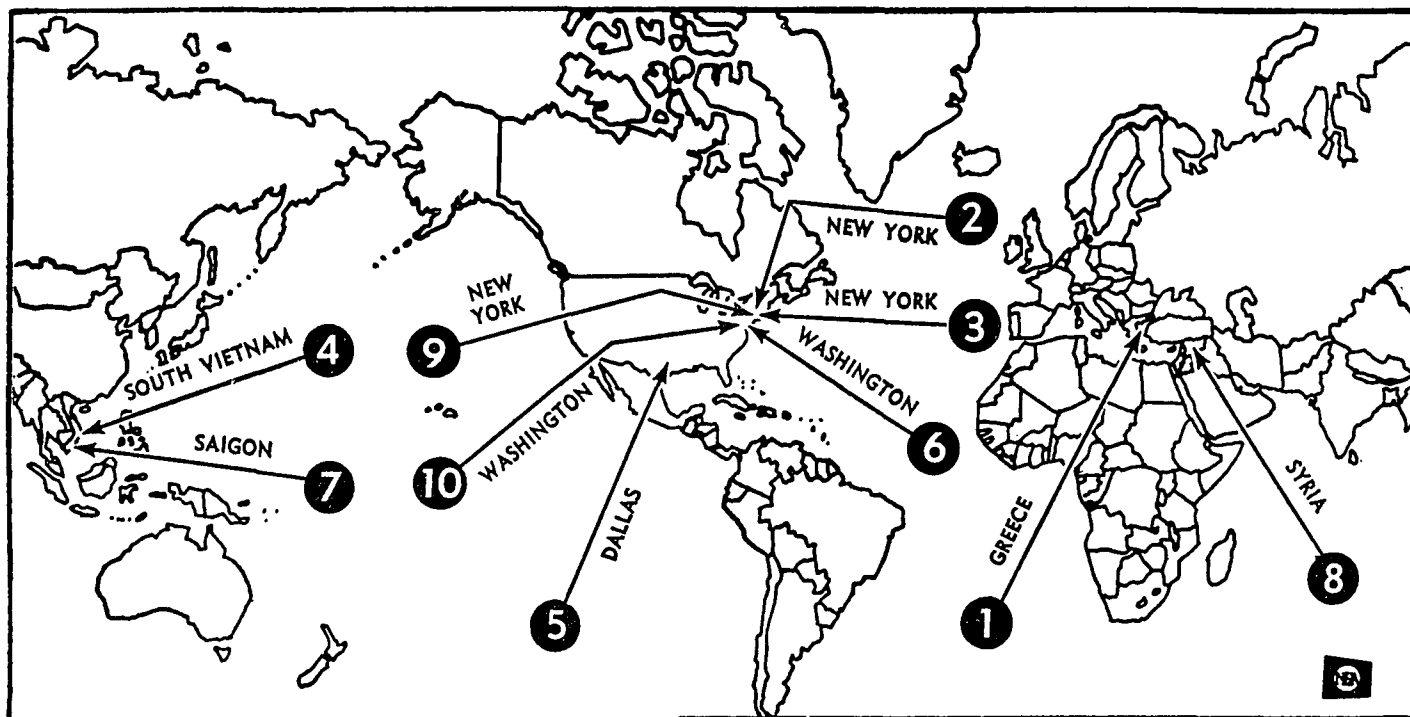
Michael Darnell was the best man and groomsmen were Donald VanDyke, Ruel McConnell, Ron Settle and Bruce Weber. A reception was held following the ceremony at The Barn in Quincy after which the newlyweds left for a wedding trip to New Orleans and since their return are making their home at 20 Lake Shore Hills in Quincy.

The bride graduated from Roodhouse High School and Gem City College in Quincy. She is a secretary in the advertising department at Gates Radio Company in Quincy. The groom graduated from Quincy High School and is chief engineer at Hollister Whitney Elevator Corporation in Quincy.

Among the out of town guests at the ceremony and reception were Mr. and Mrs. David S. Lansden, Jr., Jackson, Mississippi; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Waltrip, White Hall; Mrs. Paul Wilkes, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Ball, South Dakota and Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Shaw of Roodhouse.

HOW'S YOUR NOSE FOR NEWS?

A big news story broke recently in each of the spots marked on the map below. As a reader or student, check your memory and your knowledge by identifying the news events. The clues given in the box below will help.



What occurred where? Study the map and match the numbers with the events listed in the box at right. Score yourself 10 points for each correct answer.

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CARROLLTON MAN SOLDIER OF MONTH

CARROLLTON — Sp 4 Rodney Davis, son of Mrs. Floyd Miller of Carrollton, was recently honored as Soldier of the Month for October. He is with the communications division of the U.S. Army in Ulm, Germany and has served with

the Color Guard for the Change of Command ceremonies of the 7th Army. Davis' wife is the former Becky Bridgewater, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidell Bridgewater of Carrollton and she is with her husband in Germany. PFC Robert Richey arrived from Fort Riley, Kansas to spend a two week leave with his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Richey of Carrollton. PFC Riley was inducted into the service at Fort Leonard Wood and sent to Ft. Riley a few days later where he received all of his training. Some of his courses consisted of basic and advanced training in computation of target area and fire direction control. He recently completed his

training and qualified as M-14 Sharpshooter and as a radio telephone operator. He graduated from the Carrollton Community Unit High school with the class of 1964 and then was employed by the Greene County highway dept. a year before entering the army.

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NEWS QUIZ MAP ANSWERS

AIR WAVE TEACHING—Ford Foundation grants \$10 million for series of programs to demonstrate potential of an educational television (ETV) network broadcasting coast to coast. (9)

RESIGNATION?—Speculation persists that Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge may quit South Vietnam post. (7)

SICK MAN—Jack Ruby, accused killer of presidential assassin Lee Harvey Oswald, is suffering from cancer. (5)

OFF-LIMITS TO ARMS—International agreement is reached in United Nations to bar war and weapons in space. (3)

SEA TRAGEDY—Ferry breaks up in Aegean storm with loss of 230 lives. (1)

EVEN-UP SWAP—New York Yanks trade Roger Maris, former home run king, to St. Louis Cardinals for infielder Charlie Smith, a former Met. (2)

A PLATOON DIES—Viet Cong kill off most of an American platoon during South Vietnam ambush. (4)

PRISON LOOMS—Supreme Court upholds 8-year prison sentence for Teamsters' James Hoffa in 1964 jury-tampering conviction. (6)

SHUT OFF "BLACK GOLD"—Syria, pressing for higher oil concessions, shuts off pipeline carrying oil from Iraq to the Mediterranean. (8)

RUFFLED FEATHERS—An angry Lynda Bird Johnson denies rumor that she married actor George Hamilton secretly at the LBJ ranch. (10)

CIRCLE ELECTA ENTERTAINED AT HITT RESIDENCE

Sixteen members of Circle Electa of Grace Methodist church were entertained the evening of Dec. 14th, at the home of Mrs. Howell Hitt. A lovely dessert was served preceding the meeting. Assistant hostesses were Mrs. Cass Hamm and Mrs. Claude White.

Mrs. Leon Stewart opened with a poem, What Makes a Christmas? Reports of commit-

tees were given. The Candle Light Service will be held at 11 p.m. Saturday evening, December 24th, at Grace Church. Mrs. Viron Ranson presented the program, reading the Christmas story from the scriptures, and also Reflections on Christmas. She offered prayer and spoke of Holy Gifts for Christmas by Vincent G. Burns closed with Kate Smith's recording of Silent Night. Mrs. Stewart closed with an advent prayer.

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GRIGGSVILLE—The coronation of Roger Six and Patty Lister as king and queen highlighted Homecoming festivities at Griggsville High school Tuesday evening, Dec. 20. The new king and queen were crowned by last year's royalty, Miss Rosemary Sleight and Galen Bennett.

Roger, a senior, is the son of Mrs. Earl Sumner and Les Six of Griggsville. Patty, also a senior, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lister.

Festivities started with basketball games, the Perry Pioneers defeating the junior varsity team, and the varsity squad winning the second game.

After the coronation a dance was held in the old gym. Dancing was to the music of the Terry Brennan Trio.

CLAUDE HOLDER OF MEREDOSIA WEDS ROXANA RESIDENT

MEREDOSIA—Several Meredosia residents attended the Dec. 10th wedding in Roxana of Mary Cary and Claude Holder.

Mrs. Corrine Bartell of Roxana and John Steinberg of Meredosia attended the couple. The bride is a secretary for

the Trucks Transport in East St. Louis. The groom, a graduate of Meredosia - Chambersburg High School, served two years Army duty in Korea, and is presently employed by Olin Matheson in East Alton. The couple will reside in Roxana.

Attending the ceremony from here were Mr. Steinberg, Owen Hamman, Miss Mary Jean Steinberg and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Steinberg.

Prather Couple Of Greenfield Wed 50 Years

GREENFIELD—Mr. and Mrs. Lee Prather will observe their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, January 1. No special celebration is planned.

The former Minnie Caffery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Caffery and Lee Prather, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Prather, were married New Year's Day, January 1, 1917.

They have resided in the Short and Mt. Airy vicinity all their married life. They are the parents of two daughters, Jewell (Mrs. Kenneth Cummins) and Hilda Jean (Mrs. Robert Wise) of Aiea, Hawaii. They have one grandchild, Robert Cummins.

Students Home
Local students attending the University of Illinois started their holiday vacation Thursday afternoon, Dec. 22. Classes resume January 3. They are David Houlette, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Houlette; Larry Hubbard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hubbard; Larry Mears, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mears, and Joe Powell, who resides in Urbana, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Powell.

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Reither On Beardstown

By Virgil Reither
BEARDSTOWN — The Sangamon River is "being good" to the post-season duck population in the Valley area near the Kenny Bowman club and the Phelps ditch sector.

Sunday evening the river was out of its banks and had caused ditch waters to rise over low lying fields.

Large concentrations of mallards have been enjoying this "watered" area where they are finding a wealth of natural feed. Occupants of cars traveling the dirt road can see and hear

(the ducks in this natural habitat these evenings around 5 o'clock (unless the birds have flown) and it is a real sight).

Thus far the ducks haven't "attacked" the corn fields in great numbers due to their preference for the feed they can get in the overflow ground.

Mrs. T. N. Kinsle on Dec. 19 closed a deal with the Beardstown school board whereby she received \$8,500 for a two-story house at 8th and Clay streets. She had previously obtained the property in a trade with Woody Sudbrink involving the Kinsle home at 316 E. 8th.

Purchase of the property by the school board gives the Lincoln school this entire block. It is planned to raze the home to enlarge the school playground.

Magistrate Court Fines

Magistrate Paul Fenstermaker and Deputy Circuit Clerk Mrs. Mabel Brown presided over several traffic violations during the past week and assessed fines after the defendants entered pleas of guilty. Mrs. Brown assessed fines according to a schedule approved in advance by the court.

Cases handled by the magistrate were: Sam R. Farrand, Beardstown, speeding, \$13, and no valid operator's license, \$20; Jeffrey K. Cannon, 1200 South Main, speeding, \$20; Jackie O. Harvey, 724 West State, speeding, \$20; Anna E. Lowe, Virginia, failure to reduce speed, \$20.

Cases involving speeding and handled by the clerk: Pamela J. Caldwell, Franklin, \$10; William R. Burdick, Kansas City, Mo., \$10; Cheryl L. Lanum, Decatur, \$10; Terry L. Rynders, 650 South West, \$10; and John E. Nelson, Arenzville, \$11.

Other violations handled by the clerk: Alouis R. Meyer, 1124 W. Walnut, failure to do duty, \$10; William C. Hopper, Chandler, obstructing traffic, \$10; Charles D. Nebel, Forest City, improper backing, \$10; Edwin Rohn, Beardstown, improper passing, \$10; Opal S. Houchins, Arenzville, failure to yield, \$10; Ernest D. Gregory, Meredosia, disobeyed stop sign, \$10; Harriett Brewer, 320 Dewey Park, speeding, \$15; John R. Luke-man, 1413 Mound, no valid safety sticker, \$10; Nicholas Philip Meinhardt, Carroll, Ia., disobeyed stop sign, \$10.

All fines listed above were subject to the addition of five dollars court costs.

Gold Star For Capt. D. L. Buck In Vietnam

Marine Reserve Captain David L. Buck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver H. Buck of 321 Lockwood Ave., Jacksonville, Illinois, was awarded a gold star in lieu of his ninth Air Medal during ceremonies held at the Marine Air Facility, Marine Mountain, Republic of Vietnam recently.

The award was presented by Lieutenant Colonel Warren C. Watson, Commanding Officer of Marine Medium Helicopter Squadron (HMM)-164. The squadron flies the CH-46A "Sea-Knight" in support of U.S. Marines, Army of the Republic of Vietnam (ARVN) soldiers and other forces engaged in action against the enemy in Vietnam.

Social Calendar

Tuesday
Members of the Women's Division, Jacksonville Chamber of Commerce, will hold their Christmas season dinner meeting at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 27th, at the Ranch House. There will be a dollar gift exchange.

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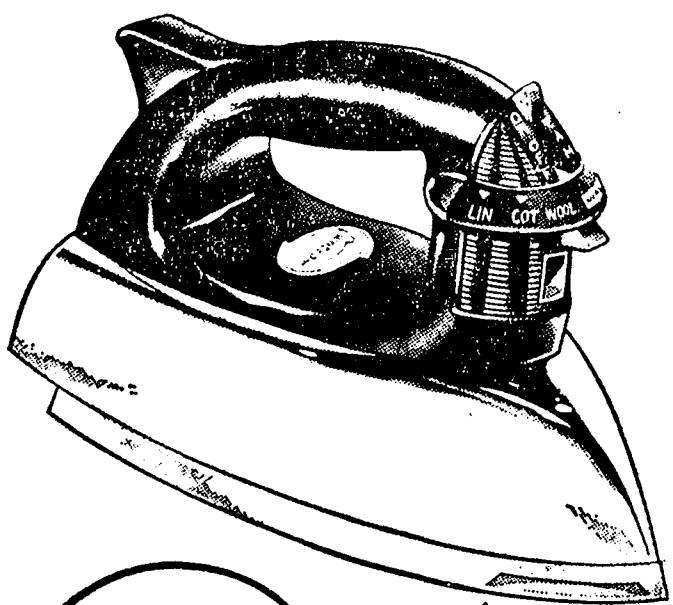
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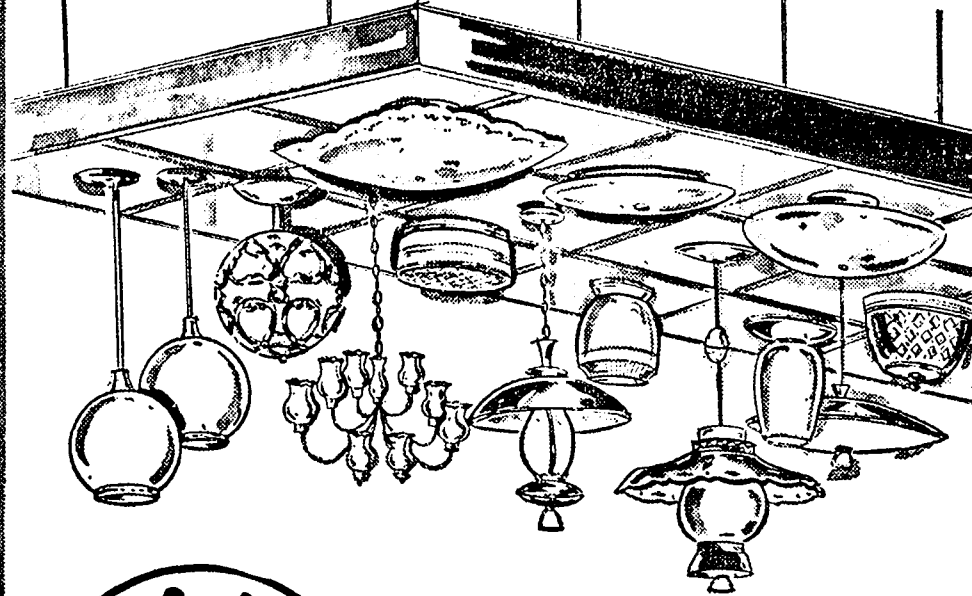
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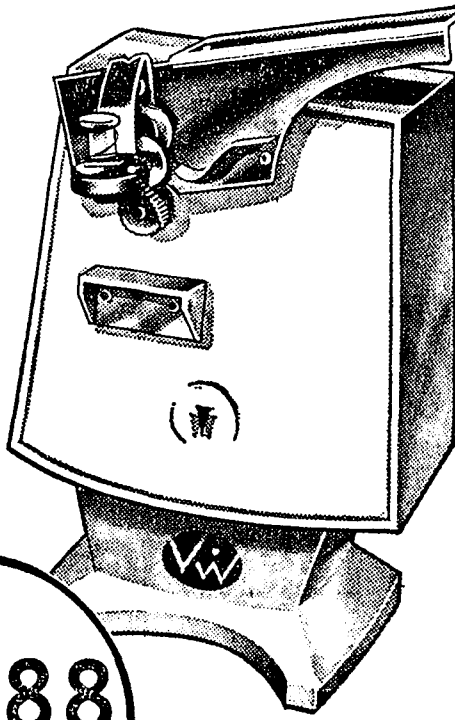
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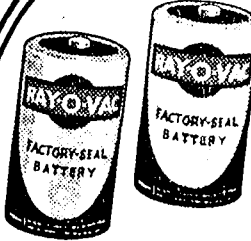
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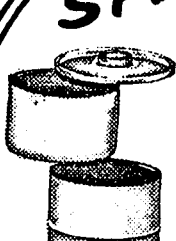
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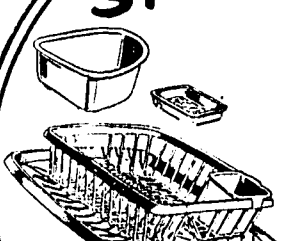
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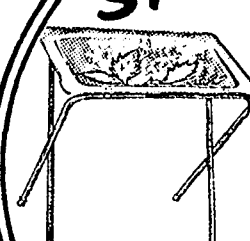
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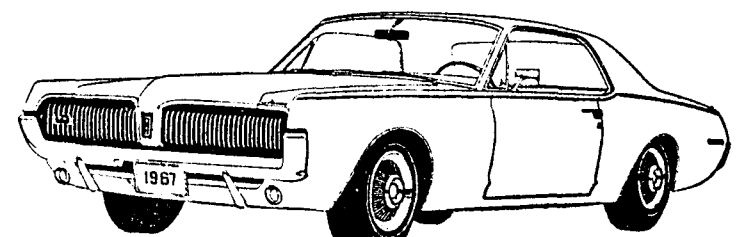
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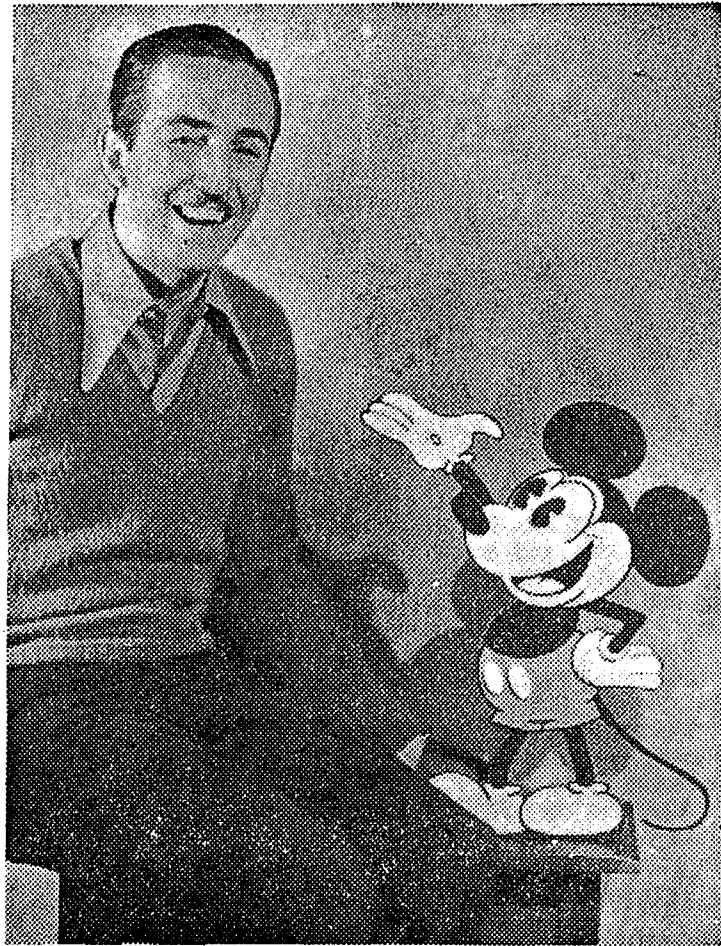
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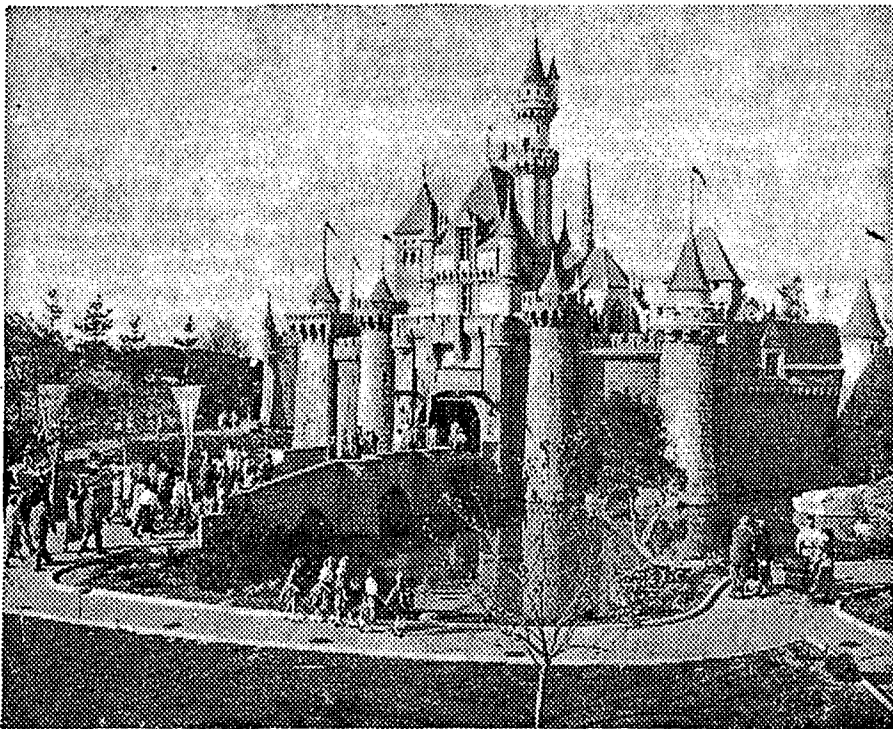
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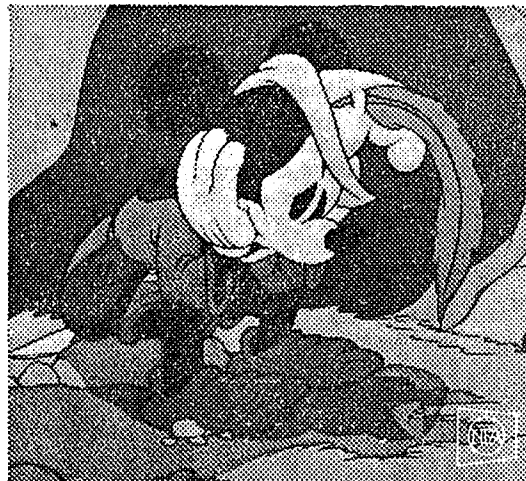
Walt Disney, creator of Mickey Mouse and Disneyland, innovator of the Davy Crockett cult, and undisputed king of the family movie and the world of fantasy for years, was a household word in this country for decades. A movie carrying his name tag was usually an instant success. His comic strips delighted readers for years. And his massive playground at Anaheim, Calif., attracts kings and commoners alike. His entertainment empire dates back to his first real success, creation of the animated mouse depicted with him at right in 1931.



Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs was Disney's first feature-length animated film, followed by more animations and eventual films using live people, and equally successful ones employing nature itself.



Disney's biggest project and the one bringing him most satisfaction was his 300-acre Disneyland at Anaheim, Calif., where the world could come in actual contact with fantasy and history as never before.



Few men, if any, have left such a mark on the entertainment world as Walt Disney. Though aimed primarily at children, his endeavors not only won the approval of adults, but were grossly enjoyed by them as well. Like Mickey, above, the world notes well his last stage exit.

Jacoby On Bridge

Hand Tests Defense Skill

By Oswald & James Jacoby
Newspaper Enterprise Assn.

NORTH (D) 24			
♠ 83	♥ K 62	♦ A Q 6	♣ A Q J 7 6
WEST			
♠ 7	♥ J 10 9 4	♦ 10 7 3 2	♣ 8 5 3
EAST			
♠ A K 4	♥ A 8 7 5 3	♦ K J 5	♣ K 2
SOUTH			
♠ Q J 10 9 6 5 2	♥ Void	♦ 9 8 4	♣ 10 9 4
Both vulnerable			
West	North	East	South
1 ♠	Dble.	4 ♠	
Pass	Pass	Dble.	Pass
Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Opening lead—♥ Q			

Here is a hand concocted by the late Geoffrey - Mott - Smith for use in the 1938 Bridge Olympics.

These were contests in which the players tried to make "par scores" by means of correct bidding and play.

East and West had a really tough par on this hand. The bidding in the box is what Geoff suggested and West was directed to open the queen of hearts against the four-spade doubled contract.

South would ruff and lead the queen of spades whereupon it would be up to East to win that first spade, look dummy over carefully, note that he would only be able to defeat the con-

tract if West could show up with the ten of diamonds. East then would lead a diamond and eventually wind up with two spades, one diamond, one club and his par score.

Geoff realized that somehow or other East and West might get to five hearts. In that case it was up to North to double and then find the defense to beat that contract one trick.

A spade would be opened by either North or South. Declarer would win, ruff a spade to get to the West hand and finesse in trumps. North would have to duck the first heart and cover the second one. Declarer would get back to the West hand with another trump and his best play would be to lead the ten of diamonds.

If North ducks, the diamond ten is allowed to ride and the hand makes. If North goes right up with the ace the hand will also make. North must cover with the queen whereupon there will be no way for declarer to get back to the West hand twice more and he will go down.

♥♦CARD Sense♠

Q—The bidding has been:			
West	North	East	South
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	5 N.T.	Pass	5 ♠
You South, hold:			
♠ A K 8 7 ♠ A 2 ♦ 5 4 3 ♣ K 9 8 6			

What do you do now?

A—Your partner's bid is the grand slam force. He wants you to bid seven with two of the three top honors in spades and you have them.

TODAY'S QUESTION

As South you hold:
♠ A K 8 7 ♥ A 2 ♦ 4 3 ♣ A K 9 8 6
What is your opening bid?

Answer Monday

PATTERSON RNA HOLIDAY GIFT EXCHANGE DEC. 15

PATTERSON — The local Royal Neighbor Camp met Thursday evening, December 15th for their annual Christmas party and gift exchange. A potluck supper was served with Mrs. Nona Owdom giving grace. After the meal several games of Bingo were played and Christmas carols were sung, with Mrs. Mildred Dawdy at the piano. Children present were given treats and favors. The many gifts beneath the Christmas tree were distributed.

Secret pals of the past year were revealed and new pals were drawn for the coming year. The hostesses for each month are as follows:

January, Georgia Ford, Carol Little; February, Mildred Dawdy, Elizabeth Ballard; March, Minnie Steelman, Eloise Summers.

April, Mary Nagle, Bea Taylor; May, Lida Dawdy, Hazel Smith; June, Nona Owdom, Janet Dawdy.

July, Mildred VanMeter, Cora Augur; August, Mary Lou Burton, Mildred Wilkinson; September, Margaret Hicks, Marilyn Ford.

October, Wilmoth Cade, Kathy Connor; November, Phyllis Dawdy, Leona Dawdy; December, Norma Blakey, Elaine Newingham.

Christmas Party, Meleta Stewart, Bertha Nicholson, and Laura Dawdy.

Attending were Phyllis Dawdy, Meleta Stewart, Mildred Dawdy, Margaret McCarthy, Janet Dawdy, Hazel Smith and daughter Judy, Bertha Nicholson, Mildred VanMeter, Cora Augur.

Hazel Strowmatt, Mary Lou Burton and daughter Diane, Donna Goodwin, Bea Taylor, Eloise Summers, Kathy Con-

Leona Dawdy, Iva Prindle, Nona Owdom, Georgia Ford, Elizabeth Ballard, and daughter Mary, Lida Dawdy, Laura Dawdy, Elaine Newingham, Minnie Steelman, Marilyn Ford, Connie Rollins, Johanna Eschback, Mildred Wilkinson, Mary Nagle, Margaret Hicks and daughters, Mary and Sara, and Ruby Pence and granddaughter, Tammy Winters.

The January meeting will be the installation of the newly elected and appointed officers.



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No Christmas Spirit Where Tragedy Hit

By GRANVILLE J. WATTS

ABERFAN, Wales (AP) — Christmas came like a stranger to Aberfan.

This grim Welsh mining village of 5,000 is wealthier than it has ever been before.

There is turkey in plenty on the table, but the eyes of bereaved parents turn inevitably to empty chairs.

"There's no Christmas spirit at all," said Jean Gough.

Mrs. Gough lost a son and a daughter — Brian, 9, and Gillian, 8 — when a black avalanche of coal sludge crashed down on the village's Pantglas Junior School Oct. 21 and killed 116 children — almost a whole generation.

Dozens of people have left the village this Christmas weekend — some of them parents who have no children left. They can't bear the thought of Christmas in their homes with no kids around to play with the toys.

Mrs. Gough has two surviving children — Ian, 6, and Ann, 2.

"I have to make some sort of Christmas for them," she said. "You cannot persecute the children because you are unhappy yourself. But I'll be glad when Christmas is over — it reminds me of too much."

"We have never been so well-

New York Stock Market

NEW YORK (AP)—The stock market went through a turbulent week with year-end cross currents muddying the trend.

Some averages were down slightly, showing that Blue Chips were somewhat heavy on balance; but more stocks rose than fell on the New York Stock Exchange.

The Dow Jones industrial average last week declined 8.08 to 799.10. Of 1,594 issues traded on the New York Stock Exchange, 777 advanced and 646 declined.

Volume for the week was 37,912,500 shares compared with 41.2 million the previous week.

Tax-loss selling and switching were prominent features of the week's trading.

In addition there was quite a lot of long term profit taking on the minority of issues which showed gains, some of them since the market made its low for the week on Oct. 7. Friday was especially notable in the latter respect for it was the last day in which to take profits "regular way" — four-day delivery — for entry on 1966 tax returns.

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks last week made a minor gain of 3 at 296.6.

The conflict between the AP and the Dow Jones industrial average was of little significance, merely reflecting the divergent action of some of the Blue Chip issues which are not common to both of these averages.

Weakness in General Electric was a depressing factor all week. GE fell 7 1/2 to 86 3/4 or the week. It slid on a company forecast that because of labor problems the year's earnings would be below the record level of last year.

GE's decline on Monday and dampened many other Blue Chips which face labor problems. The stock list also was unsettled by a report that a news magazine had said President Johnson would ask for a tax hike. The administration denied the story but the damage to stock prices was already done.

The market ran its recovery drive through Thursday but stalled Friday in advance of the three-day Christmas weekend. Stock exchanges are closed Monday.

The bond market continued to advance with government bonds leading the way. Many short term intermediate government bonds reached 1966 highs.

Corporate bonds showed substantial improvement and municipal bonds rose slightly.

MERRY CHRISTMAS PITTSFIELD Community Sale

The following are representative cattle sales from Thursday, December 24th.

3 Steers, 305 Lbs.	\$27.10
14 Steers, 515 Lbs.	25.90
3 Steers, 500 Lbs.	25.30
6 Steers, 740 Lbs.	25.00
8 Steers, 902 Lbs.	24.40
16 Heifers, 425 Lbs.	24.40
1 Cow, 995 Lbs.	18.80
1 Cow, 1,100 Lbs.	18.30
The following are slaughter hog sales from Saturday, December 24th.	
30 Hogs, 209 Lbs.	\$21.00
36 Hogs, 219 Lbs.	20.90
12 Hogs, 216 Lbs.	20.85
94 Hogs, 226 Lbs.	20.70
71 Hogs, 228 Lbs.	20.60
32 Hogs, 240 Lbs.	20.45
6 Sows, 379 Lbs.	15.00
11 Sows, 411 Lbs.	14.60
21 Sows, 556 Lbs.	13.30

THE AUCTION WAY IS THE BEST WAY

PITTSFIELD

Community Sale
PITTSFIELD, ILL.

SEASON'S GREETINGS to one and all Jacksonville Monument Co. Harold Wessler, Mgr.

American

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climbed into a sleeping bag on the couch, and felt for the first time the utter hopelessness of the situation.

I could not call the embassy. I could not see Buel. I could speak only when spoken to. And the Russian guard's automatic pistol was assurance there was no way out.

The next day at 8 a.m. I was moved to another building, still with my guard. I waited until 3 p.m. when the chief investigator — KGB colonel — asked more questions, this time for the "record of interrogation."

He wanted to know about the bear, and I gave him the truth, correctly assuming that Buel also would.

At 6 p.m. I was frustrated and angry. I asked an investigator in German what was going on. He vaguely mentioned Vyborg and Leningrad, and I gathered we were being returned to Leningrad for further investigation.

At 7 I was told to climb into a Volga. I saw Worth in the back seat of his Volkswagen, and we drove away.

No one spoke for three hours, until the car pulled up to the front of a building in Leningrad.

In a small room inside I was searched again — belt, tie and shoelaces taken. I padded down a carpeted corridor in a chilly hall to meet another soldier standing by an open door. I turned around to ask what was happening and the door closed. That was it. I was locked into a 15-by-7-foot, concrete-walled room.

I shall never forget that isolation, the loss of a sense of any relation to things and people. For the first time in my life, I had absolutely no freedom, and the greatest agony was not knowing what would happen next. Whether I could eat, could sleep, in fact, could even live was entirely up to someone else.

The first thing I tried to do was get my bearings. At least I knew I was in Leningrad, a major city. The cell was clean. It had a cement toilet at one end, a sink with a cold-water tap, a small square opaque window in the door through which food would come, a large window on the opposite wall for light. There was a bed, a writing table and shelf. It was chilly, but with an overcoat the temperature was just under comfort level.

Next morning, the small square window in the door opened. A smiling guard handed me a cup of tea, sugar, and a half-loaf of crusty brown bread, the first of 63 such breakfasts.

Later that morning I was ushered by two unarmed guards down a corridor, through double doors, into a hallway which they ordered cleared of people, and into a room with a KGB major (in civilian clothes) and the Leningrad deputy procurator (district attorney, roughly).

I was read an order stating I would be imprisoned during an initial investigation which could last 10 days. Then an indictment would be read to me ordering my further imprisonment for up to two months of pretrial investigation.

Thus began 60 days of lengthy testimony — all against myself and Wortham concerning the bear theft and my "activities" in the Soviet Union. Usually, the interrogations would begin around 10 a.m. and go on until 12, when I would be returned to my cell for lunch — one bowl of soup and one bowl of potatoes with a small fish. It was inedible at first. After a week it became a small feast. Later the food actually improved in taste, perhaps due to my early complaints. The investigations ended around 4 p.m.

Generally the treatment in the prison was quite decent. The guards never touched me, never shouted and came immediately if I rang a bell in my cell.

The interrogations wore on. My defense was pride, anger, stubbornness, and a refusal to fall into the psychological trap of relying on the interrogators as those "in a position to help."

As one of them put it, On Oct. 16, while I was still under indictment only for theft of the bear, the KGB colonel I met at the border stepped in.

"We only want to determine that you were honest during your tour in the U.S.S.R.," he said. "All I will do is ask you a few questions concerning your stay here."

That was it. Unaware of the serious nature of currency violations, I gave him a full account of everything that had taken place. For 46 days, pausing only for Sundays and Soviet holidays, the colonel pressed on.

I saw Buel Wortham only once until the trial. During the third week of the investigation, I was visited by Harlan G. Moen, the U.S. Embassy's chief consul, in the presence of the investigator.

Finally someone had arrived who was on my side. Mr. Moen repeatedly assured me that "great efforts" were being made by the embassy, the State Department and my father to secure our release.

How did I manage to live day by day, hour by hour, for 60 days in solitary confinement? That is precisely the answer: I found myself living minute by minute — never thinking of the long-term loneliness, but rather expecting each day that release would come soon.

Finally the indictment was read to me during the last days



TWO JACKSONVILLE CHURCH LAYMEN have been given the Laymen's Award, "in recognition of their dedication to God and their outstanding contribution to the spiritual life and the welfare of their community."

Sponsored by the Jacksonville Council of Churches and the Jacksonville Kiwanis Club, the annual awards were presented Thursday to Mrs. Dola Robinson of Mount Emory Baptist Church and Ben Roodhouse of Central Christian Church.

Shown above are Troyer; Mrs. Robinson; Roodhouse; Rev. Abner Brown, associate minister of Mt. Emory Church; and Rev. William Sturgess, minister of Central Christian Church.

Mrs. Robinson, clerk of her church and chairman of the building committee, has taught Church School for 26 years and has coordinated the joint vacation church school of Mt. Emory and First Baptist Churches. She is a member of the life and work committee and the Christian education committee of the Council of Churches, as well as the N.A.A.C.P. and the Jacksonville Human Relations Committee.

Roodhouse, who has taught Church School for 20 years, is active as an elder and has been a deacon, chairman of the Christian education department, and chairman of the official board of Central Christian Church. For several years he has been delegate to the Council of Churches.

Christmas As Spent In Winchester

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sonville as Christmas dinner guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Helliwell are entertaining Mrs. Lillie Helliwell, William Helliwell, Mrs. Elta Blesse, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ford of Jacksonville, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Butler, Beck and Gary of Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Craig, of Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Taylor and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Craig and family of Winchester.

Christmas guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dana O'Donnell are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. James O'Donnell and family, Mr. and Mrs. George O'Donnell and sons and Emmett, all of Winchester.

Miss Margaret Metzger of St. Louis, Miss Margaret O'Donnell of Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Keefner of Jacksonville, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tuxhorn and family of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Watt and family of Murrayville, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hubbard and family of Springfield and Joe O'Donnell of Decatur.

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The Kokomo plants produce a special metal alloy that is essential to the production of Navy and Air Force jet planes flying in Vietnam.

The Defense Department said the alloy supply would be exhausted by the end of the month unless production is resumed.

of November. I was charged, not with "conspiracy to commit theft," which had been the supposed basis for my imprisonment, but with "bypassing the state bank of the U.S.S.R. by exchanging \$30 with unidentified Russian youths."

The events which have taken place since my release — the stay at the embassy, the trial, the sentencing, the arrival in London, are still a blur. As I walk freely through streets, chatting with English-speaking people, visiting pubs or dancing in London night spots, I cannot believe that it is our story and picture in the newspapers.

I feel more relief than elation at once again being free. But that relief is quickly tempered by the thought of my friend, Buel Wortham, who has been sentenced to three years in an American labor colony — an unbelievably severe sentence.

First Family

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near San Antonio to be treated in two military hospitals in the area, at Ft. Sam Houston and at Lackland Air Force Base.

If they follow their usual custom, the Johnsons will distribute to their neighbors Saturday night holly wreaths and small gifts such as sausage and preserves. They usually are handed out in the ranch house kitchen.

The family opens gifts on Christmas Eve. This year it was to be around a six-foot balsam tree in the President's office.

The house was decorated with mistletoe and holly gathered on the ranch.

If they follow custom, the Johnsons will attend church in nearby Fredericksburg on Christmas morning and return to the ranch for a big turkey dinner.

The menu includes both domestic and wild turkey, with beans, sweet potatoes, cranberry salad, hot rolls and ambrosia and angel food cake.

Dinner guests will include Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Taylor, Santa Fe, N.M., brother and sister-in-law of Mrs. Johnson; Orville Bailey, who lives at the ranch and is a cousin of the President; and Mrs. Jessie Hunter, who is curator of Johnson's boyhood home in Johnson City, Tex.

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Truce

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The first of the outbreaks came just minutes after the truce took effect at 7 a.m. Saturday.

U.S. military authorities said all units were under standing orders to take necessary measures for self-defense.

"There is extensive patrolling," a spokesman said, "we are keeping our eyes wide open."

The truce, shaky as it was, provided some opening for the holiday spirit.

In the developing port depot of Cam Ranh Bay, 180 miles northeast of Saigon, thousands of troops gathered for a mid-night Mass celebrated by Francis Cardinal Spellman. It was the 16th consecutive Christmas visit to overseas troops for the 77-year-old archbishop of New York, Roman Catholic military vicar of the U.S. armed forces.

At a Mass in Long Binh earlier, the cardinal told soldiers, "I doubt if I'll be around next year, but I thank God for giving me the blessing of once again being with you."

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Pope

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winter chill they followed the Mass on television sets placed at scattered points.

"We have come here," said the Pope in a speech during the Mass, "impelled by the charity of Christmas, because your trial has called us, has almost obliged us to come."

"We have come here, on the day of tenderness and strength of love, to weep with you."

He said he himself had brought to Florence money for the needy. He did not specify how much. The Pope already has given \$50,000 as a personal contribution.

Stranded

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The weather contributed to at least eight traffic deaths and the highway patrol told motorists to stay home except for "absolute emergency" trips. Temperatures were expected to drop to near 10 degrees in some parts of the state overnight.

Snow ranged from one to six inches in North Carolina, with deeper drifts. A Greyhound bus skidded near Pelham, N.C., injuring 12 persons.

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Card Of Thanks

Many thanks to the doctors, nurses, nurse aides, and all the staff of Holy Cross Hospital for their wonderful care, also the Minister of the Christian Church, neighbors, friends and relatives for the cards, flowers, visits and all other acts of kindness extended to me during my recent illness.

Velmadean Simpson

Jet Crash

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"I thought we were just landing," said Miss Diane Solomon, Brooklyn, N.Y. "We had the seat belts on a bit but many of the passengers did not have them tight. The girl next to me started yelling, saying her seat belt was loose and she was falling."

"But then the plane lifted up on one side. The people on the left side were higher than those on the right, and began falling against them."

"What I remember most is the smell of gasoline and dust. I had one shoe on and one shoe off and the plane was split right down the middle."

"We thought everyone else was dead. Anyone who saw the plane would think that."

The plane's crew, which consisted of eight members, was taken to the airport control tower for questioning.

Landing facilities at the Mexico City airport have been under investigation for some time. Airport officials have refused to comment on Mexican newspaper reports that the radar system, installed in 1964, never has functioned properly.

It was the second crash at or near the airport in a month. A few weeks ago a jet just put into service by Mexican airlines crashed on a landing attempt during a crew-training flight.

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The Kokomo plants produce a special metal alloy that is essential to the production of Navy and Air Force jet planes flying in Vietnam.

The Defense Department said the alloy supply would be exhausted by the end of the month unless production is resumed.

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FACE ABOVE THE CROWD



By BUFORD GREEN

Sports Editor

EX-CRIMSONS
DOING ALRIGHT

Three of the top players off Jacksonville High's best basketball team in several years are all making their mark on separate college quintets this season and all three look anxiously to the future to furthering their college basketball careers.

Creston Whitaker (Southern Ill.), Steve Bone (Wooster, Ohio) and Ron Coleman (Mississippi), who played on the 1964-65 JHS team that made the first round of the state tournament, are currently enjoying holiday vacations in the city before returning to hard-court activity.

Whitaker, a sophomore, is currently playing behind potential all-American Walt Frazier at Southern; Bone, a 6-6 sophomore center, has started half of his team's games at Wooster, and Coleman, a 6-2 freshman guard at Ole Miss, is a starting guard averaging between 14 and 15 points per game.

Whitaker, a 6-1½ guard, calls Frazier a "fabulous ball player after whom I try to pattern myself sometimes." "He may be drafted by the pros next year because his original college will graduate this spring, but he has another year of eligibility left because he didn't play last season."

Former all-stater Dick Garrett runs at the other guard for the Salukis, who have last only to second-rated Louisville, in double overtime, and are rated one of the best college division teams in the country right now. Whitaker considers himself number eight and number four guard on the squad, and has played in every game except against St. Louis University.

"We have a real fine ball club," Whitaker said while watching the JHS-Canton game Tuesday night. "I still think I am small at my position. I think I'll be playing a lot this year and the next two. The freshmen have a well balanced team, but no star."

Whitaker reports he will return to Southern this weekend when the Salukis meet last year's NAAA champion Texas Western in the first game of the Sun Bowl Tournament in Arizona.

"I've scored a few points, but I have been working on passing a lot more this year. I don't feel I should go in a game and start shooting. In our offense the guards have to go to the high post quite a bit and that's where I really notice my size."

Bone has started four of his team's eight games at Wooster, which competes in the Ohio Conference and now has a 3-5 record. "We lost three on the road and two close ones at home," says Bone. "I have scored eight to ten points when I have started, sharing a forward spot with another player. We have 6-6 all-conference Tim Jordan at center."

Bone, a 6-6, 200-pounder who played the post in high school, reports a big difference between center and forward. "I like to face the basket when I get the ball and get to move more at forward. We have a young team with three seniors on the squad and the rest freshmen and sophomores."

"Our school plays pretty good competition, with such teams as Wittenberg and Ohio Wesleyan in the conference. None of the schools give athletic scholarships now, after Akron got out of the conference last year. Wooster has an enrollment of about 1,500."

Coleman has started all eight of his team's games in a 4-4 record thus far. The Ole Miss, winner of only three games last year, currently has a sparkling 6-1 record, playing with four sophomores and one junior. The freshmen play a 21-game schedule and compete in one tournament.

"I have averaged about 14 or 15 points a game so far," reports Coleman. "My best game was 22 points against the Alabama freshmen. My shooting percentage, however, hasn't been too good."

Coleman adds that at 6-2 he is the smallest starter on the team that had three 6-8 players, two 6-6 and one at 6-2. Wood River freshman Jerry Harrison, 6-8, doesn't start on the squad.

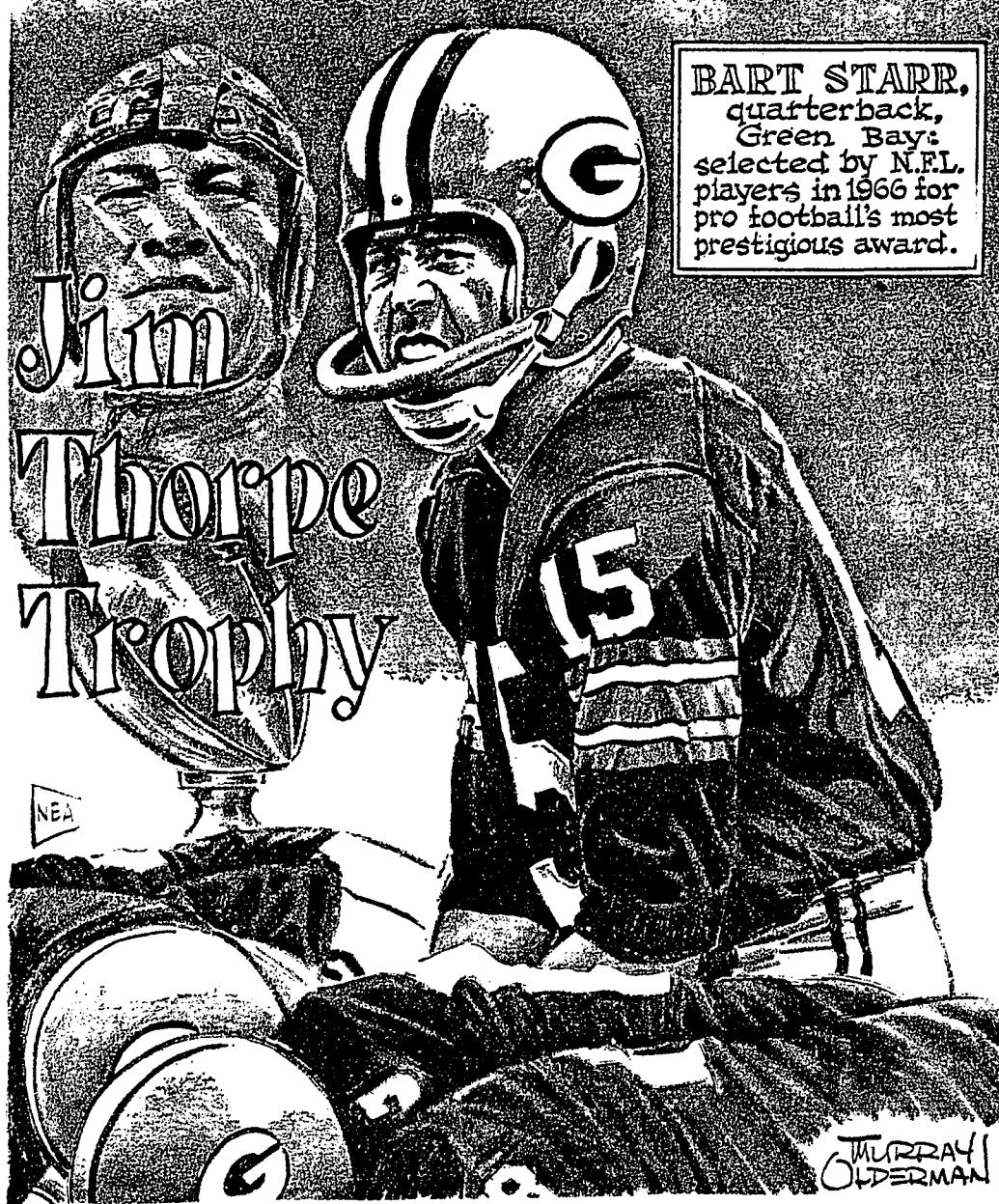
"In our offense we usually just have one guard. It is called the 'wheel' offense. It's a lot different because I played underneath in high school last year. It's hard to drive much, but I have done quite a bit. When you drive the big men pick you up and that's when size really tells."

"We won our first four games and lost the last four. They had real high hopes for the freshman team here. I think our big trouble right now is we aren't close enough."

"I think I can see some action on the varsity next year, but I don't know how much. I will certainly have to work at it. I don't know if I will go out for track this spring or not."

HERE 'N' THERE: The current probe of athletic "irregularities" at the University of Illinois will undoubtedly leave its mark on future Illini teams, but look for this to be just the first in what may turn out to be a thorough look at other colleges and universities and their athletic practices. These things usually run in cycles and there is very little doubt but what other schools have similar "funds" for athletes above and beyond conference and NCAA rules.

Al Smith, driving a USAC Sprint Car owned by Dr. Ward Dunseth of Jacksonville, placed fifth in the final point standings this season, behind Roger McCluskey, Mario Andretti, the late Don Branson and Bobby Unser.



Prep Records

	W. L.	Pct.
Virginia	7 0	1.000
Franklin	6 0	1.000
East Pike	9 1	.900
Jerseyville	5 1	.833
Barry	4 1	.800
Triopia	5 2	.714
North Greene	5 2	.714
Jacksonville	4 2	.667
Northwestern	4 2	.667
Havana	4 2	.667
Griggsville	4 2	.667
Pittsfield	4 3	.571
Calhoun	4 3	.571
Chandlerville	4 3	.571
Ashland	5 4	.556
Winchester	3 3	.500
Brown County	3 3	.500
Beardstown	3 3	.500
Pleasant Plains	4 4	.500
Waverly	2 3	.400
Pleasant Hill	2 4	.333
Perry	2 5	.286
New Berlin	2 5	.286
Bluffs	2 5	.286
ISD	2 6	.250
Routt	1 3	.250
Rushville	2 7	.222
Porta	1 4	.200
St. Mary's	2 9	.182
Greenfield	1 5	.167
Carrollton	1 5	.167
Southwestern	0 5	.000
Meredosia	0 6	.000

Rose Bowl
Teams Look
By Records

PASADENA, Calif. (AP)—Tarnished regular season records seem to fade into obscurity when Tournament of Roses time comes around, and so interest mounts today for the Purdue-Southern California clash in the Rose Bowl Jan. 2.

The host Trojans of Southern Cal won seven games and lost three — to Miami of Florida, UCLA and then the campaign's disastrous 51-0 thing to Notre Dame.

The Boilemakers of Purdue won eight and lost to the top two teams in the nation, Notre Dame and Michigan State. "You can forget the Notre Dame 51-0 score. It could happen to any team," said a sympathetic Jack Mollenkopf, the Purdue coach whose team fared better in bowing to the Irish, 26-14.

John McKay, the Trojan mentor, has the same reaction and admittedly took calculated risks — gambling for yards on fourth down, for instance — that backfired.

"Let's face it," said McKay. "Notre Dame had a great football team. And we have a good football team. This should be a fine Rose Bowl game."

2 TD Favorite
Purdue has ruled a two-touchdown favorite from the outset, a spread that really does not disturb either faction in this an-

Dunseth reports he plans to have his car on the circuit next season.

Jerry Lane, former MacMurray star basketball player and later soccer and assistant basketball coach, took in a recent Highlander game while looking at several basketball coaches. Lane reports Cornell is now playing Midwestern high school basketball for possible recruiting to Cornell University, where he is now assistant competition comparable to just about any college or university in the country. He added that he was not looking at any player in the immediate area.

The disorderly outbursts by fans at NFL games in St. Louis and San Francisco last weekend will undoubtedly lead to some close looks by league fathers as to protection of players and officials. This type action is a detriment to any sport, and the NFL, riding the crest of an unprecedented popularity wave, is not about to let such incidents continue.

Phil Howard of Jacksonville entered his speed boat in 17 races in 14 cities this past summer and came up with 11 firsts, two seconds, two thirds, one seventh and one ninth.

Name Starr Winner
Of Thorpe Trophy

NEW YORK—(NEA)—Bryan Bartlett Starr of Montgomery, Ala., and Green Bay, Wis., has been on just one foot in his life.

In 1959, the Green Bay Packers played a game in New York, and Bart Starr, who expected to play quarterback, sat on the bench all afternoon, though he was in perfect health.

That night Starr and end Ron Kramer, a fellow Packer, also disappointed at his inactivity, didn't drown their sorrows. They deluged them.

The next week, Starr started at quarterback for the Packers, and seven years later he is still starting. The Packers have won five Western Conference titles in the National Football League, three NFL championships and are about to try for a fourth.

And this year Starr has won the highest honor that can come to a professional football player.

Byran Bartlett Starr today was named the recipient of the 12th annual Jim Thorpe Trophy, awarded by Newspaper Enterprise Association to the most valuable player in the National Football League. The winner is determined in a poll of all the league players.

Now there's a real cause for celebration, if Bart wants to try it again.

The Green Bay quarterback will receive his trophy in a special ceremony to be telecast nationally by CBS-TV on Jan. 1 as part of a special half-hour program immediately preceding the National Football League championship game between Starr's Packers and the Dallas Cowboys. Presentation of the NEA All-Players All-Pro team will feature the program.

Others who figured prominently in this year's balloting conducted by NEA were Gale Sayers, the fine halfback of the Chicago Bears, who won the league's rushing crown with

nual postseason battle between the Big Ten and the Pacific. The Purdue offense is built around quarterback Bob Griese, an all-purpose young man who does everything well, including passing, running and place kicking.

Southern Cal's starting quarterback is Troy Winslow, a vastly under-rated senior.

"We were impressed with Winslow. He throws the ball well and runs well," said Mollenkopf.

The Purdue coach also singled out for attention "No. 12 and No. 23." That would be senior halfback Rod Sherman, a hard runner and excellent receiver, and fullback Mike Hull, 219-pound junior.

But when a tough enemy line-backer tried to push him around physically, he told the other guy off, in the salty words of a first sergeant.

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6 Holiday Tournaments
Slated For This WeekTop Scorers
In The City

Prep	G	TP	Ave.
Hess (JHS)	6	107	18.0
Baker (ISD)	8	121	15.1
Brown (JHS)	6	89	14.8
McNeely (Routt)	4	58	14.5
Mounts (JHS)	6	71	11.8

College	G	TP	Ave.
Clough (IC)	7	144	20.5
Martin (IC)	7	134	19.1
Killoran (Mac)	8	117	14.6
Hundley (Mac)	5	66	13.3
Cochran (Mac)	8	100	12.5

McKay, USC
Recall The
Old Days

"Based on long observation it is my conviction the modern approach to the game as compared to that in the years gone by is more forthright, more sensible, and clean. And I suggest we should not now attempt to overrefine the product."

Earl "Red" Blaik, Dec. 6 at the National Football Foundation Dinner.

By SANDY PADWE
Newspaper Enterprise Assn.
LOS ANGELES—(NEA)—It always sounds so beautiful when the surroundings are the grand ballroom of the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York and the Courvoisier is beginning to take effect.

Red Blaik should have been in the Los Angeles Coliseum Nov. 26 when Ara Parseghian and Notre Dame rolled up a 51-0 score on the University of Southern California just to prove that in this "sensible" game of college football, the right kind of publicity (numerical) can win you a national championship.

Earl Blaik should have been with USC coach John McKay and his 13-year-old son, John Jr., as they walked from the field that day. The words from the fans were bad enough, but the bottles were worse. And this was only college ball.

Among all the passing statistics that abound in the National Football League record manual, the name of Starr is found in two places only. There is a category called "passing efficiency" — it reveals Starr as the most efficient passer in history (for 1,000 or more attempts) with a completion percentage of 56.6 going into this season. There is another called "passes had intercepted" — Starr has the lowest lifetime percentage in history, at 4.25 per cent of his career attempts.

This season, the Packer quarterback has exceeded himself in both areas. Starr completed 62.2 per cent of his passes with only three interceptions.

But the Green Bay quarterback is more than just a finger of passes. In fact, critics used to say he didn't really have a good arm, that he couldn't throw the long ball. No one has ever argued, however, about his ability to direct a team.

"He has a lot of leadership ability," said coach Vince Lombardi of the Packers, "and he knows exactly what I want. Bart follows our ready sheet for a game perfectly. We win because we make very few mistakes." And Starr makes virtually none, on a strategy level.

"His greatest asset," said Bill Austin, a former Packer assistant who now coaches Pittsburgh, "is picking apart the defense. Any defense has a hole. The trick is to know where it is."

And Bart can also get a team to respond. Recognition of his leadership qualities was delayed by a natural reserve and politeness inherent in the quiet native Alabamian. Early in his career, he once admonished an unruly team huddle, "Hush up, y'all." And broke up the Packers.

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Two years ago, John McKay took an unbeaten season and a national championship away from Notre Dame.

John had a lot of friends after that game.

Two years later, after USC handed the championship back, it was a lot different.

"Now we're in the Rose Bowl, so what happens?" McKay said. "We have to hide the sports section from the children and no one wants to be caught speaking to me."

John McKay and his team took a horrible beating in the California and national press following the loss to Notre Dame.

The main reason is that USC, not UCLA, will represent the Pacific Eight in the Rose Bowl against Purdue. USC also lost to UCLA, 14-7, but won the conference championship over the Bruins by a half game.

"One game," McKay said, "has put us in a helluva light. But let's look at the rest of the season. We played one of the toughest schedules in the country. Four of the teams we played finished in the top ten."

"Check the combined record of our opponents and you'll find it was 63-36. Check Notre Dame's it was 53-45; UCLA, 47-52; Purdue 51-44; Michigan State, 47-49; and Alabama's opponents finished 39-49."

It was a bit sad to see John McKay, coach of the year in 1962, resorting to numbers, even if—and Ara Parseghian can verify it—numbers speak a powerful language.

"Don't worry," McKay said. "We'll make a good showing in the Rose Bowl. We'll have our injured players back (mainly) quarterback Troy Winslow and the kids will get themselves up."

"Any time you get beat as badly as we did by Notre Dame, it could pose a problem for the

24 Local, Area
Teams In Action

Local and area prep basketball teams enter holiday tournament action in mass this week, with no less than six tournaments involving squads in the city and surrounding areas slated to take up the week between Christmas and New Year's.

Twenty-four of the 33 teams covered by the JOURNAL COURIER are involved in tourney action this week, with three tournaments starting Monday and two more Tuesday. The sixth one will open Wednesday. All will be finished by Friday.

Tournaments starting Monday are the 16-team Waverly affair, the eight-team Beardstown tourney and the four-team Pittsfield Round Robin. The Carbondale and Carlinville meets will open Tuesday, and the Illinois Valley Conference affair Wednesday.

Results of the Monday games from the three starting then will be carried in Tuesday's Courier and Wednesday's Journal, as there will be no Tuesday Journal.

WAVERLY

The popular Waverly Holiday Tournament will be staged for the 16th consecutive season this year, with 16 teams and running four days. Glenwood is rated number one and unbeaten Franklin second.

As in the past six games, morning, afternoon and evening sessions, will be held Monday and Tuesday, with two games the final two nights.

First round pairings pit Glenwood vs Northwestern; Athens vs Mt. Olive; Lincolnwood, last year's runner-up, vs New Berlin; the defending champion; Auburn vs Girard; Franklin vs Waverly; Morrisville vs Triopia; Pawnee vs Kincaid and Worden vs Routt.

New Berlin nipped Lincolnwood 51-50 in last year's title game, while Kincaid edged Glenwood 59-57 for consolation honors.

Triopia is the only new team in the meet, replacing Virden. Triopia competed in the Pittsfield Tournament last year, re-joining the meet after the one-year absence.

Points Of Interest
Points of interest in the tournament's history: Thirty-one teams have played in the tournament since 1951; Kincaid is the only school to win twice (1954-55); the first-rated team has won seven times; second-rated four times; third-rated four times; no team rated below third has ever won; first-rated team has never been beaten in first round; 12 of the present teams have been in the finals; nine of the present teams have won the tournament; Lincolnwood has the best overall record in the tourney, 7-1; followed by Triopia, 4-4; Glenwood, 4-4; Kincaid, 18-10; Morrisville, 4-3; Athens, 9-7; New Berlin, 9-7; and Auburn, 13-11.

Some of the tournament re-

Look For Teams
For Christmas
Basketball Meet

Brown County High School of Mt. Sterling, Illinois, is looking for teams who would be interested in participating in a Christmas Holiday Tourney in a gymnasium which will seat 1800 people. Anyone interested please drop a card to Don Galloway, Athletic Director, Brown County High School, Mt. Sterling, Illinois.

We encourage teams not in the immediate area to participate also. It is planned to set the tourney up in a manner so that each team will play at least two and probably three games.

ON CORNELL SWIM TEAM

Competing in the breaststroke event for the Cornell College varsity swimming team this year is Steve Hartong, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hartong of 511 Woodland Place in Jacksonville.

A sophomore, Hartong is in his first year of varsity competition.

next game. But I've found that young football players come back quicker than old alums and old coaches. That's why I'm not worried."

As for the Notre Dame game and Parseghian's tasteless lobbying for the No. 1 ranking, John McKay just smiles and speaks in a low voice.

"The polls are good for the game until they get too big," he said. "This year they definitely were too big. It got to a point where things were said which were better left unsaid."

There is a lot more John could say, but it will remain unsaid until the Rose Bowl game when, he promises, the talking will be done on the field.

Sports Menu

BASKETBALL Tournaments WAVERLY Dec. 26	
9:00 a.m. — Glenwood vs Northwestern	
10:15 a.m. — Athens vs Mt. Olive	
2:00 — Lincolnwood vs New Berlin	
3:15 — Auburn vs Girard	
7:30 — Franklin vs Waverly	
8:45 — Morrisville vs Triopia	

Dec. 27	
9:00 a.m. — Pawnee vs Kincaid	
10:15 — Worden vs Routt	
2:00, 3:15, 7:30, 8:45, second round games	

Dec. 28	
Semi-finals, 7:00 and 8:15	
Dec. 29	
Finals, 7:00 and 8:15	

CARBONDALE Dec. 27	
9:00 a.m. — Chicago St. Patrick vs Harrisburg	
10:30 a.m. — Mt. Vernon vs Cahokia	
1:00 — Alton vs Olney	
2:30 — Collinsville vs Pinckneyville	
4:00 — Decatur Eisenhower vs Marion	
7:00 — DuQuoin vs Herrin	
8:30 — Carbondale vs Wood River	
10:00 — Jacksonville vs West Frankfort	

PITTSFIELD Dec. 26	
6:30 — Hannibal vs Christian Brothers	
8:00 — Chester vs Pittsfield	
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Dec. 28	
6:30 — Chester vs Hannibal	
8:00 — Pittsfield vs Christian Brothers	

ILLINOIS VALLEY Dec. 28	
6:00 — Carrollton vs Southwestern	
7:30 — North Greene vs Greenfield	
9:00 — Calhoun vs Pleasant Hill	

Dec. 29	
Semi-Finals	
CARLINVILLE Dec. 27	
7:00 — Virden vs Jerseyville	
8:30 — Carlinville vs Nokomis	

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Dec. 29	
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8:30 — Carlinville vs Jerseyville	

BEARDSTOWN Dec. 26	
1:30 — Quincy 'B' vs Havana	
3:00 — Brown County vs Virginia	
7:15 — Beardstown vs Chandlerville	
8:30 — Porta vs Macomb	

Dec. 27	
1:30, 3:00 — Losers games	
7:00, 8:30 — Winners games	
Dec. 28	
1:30, 3:00 — Consolation bracket games	
7:00, 8:30 — Championship bracket games	

Former Sooner
Greets To Match
Coaching Skills

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—Darrell Royal and Eddie Crowder, former greats from the University of Oklahoma, will match coaching skills Monday when senior college stars from North and South clash in the Shrine's all-star football game.

Royal, winningest coach in the history of the University of Texas, will boss the Rebel team, and Crowder, from the University of Colorado, will direct the Yankees.

The game, to be televised nationally by ABC with a 4:15 p.m. (EST) kickoff, is expected to be another in a long series of thrillers which have distinguished this 19-year-old holiday classic.

Last year's game ended on a typical note late in the final quarter when Bill Clay of Mississippi raced 39 yards with an intercepted pass to give the South a 21-14 victory.

Eleven games have been won by the South, six by the North. The 1952 game ended in a 21-21 deadlock.

For the first time, Negroes will quarterback both teams. Hank "Whashington" of West Texas State, one of the nation's finest passers during the regular season, will be firing for the South and Carroll Williams, record-breaking thrower from Xavier, for the North.

BUY SAVINGS BONDS

Lee A. Sullivan, Jr. New President Of Eli Bridge Company

Following a stockholder's meeting of Eli Bridge Company, held recently, the board of directors of the local firm announced the advancement of Lee A. Sullivan, Jr. to chairman of the board, and the election of Lee A. Sullivan, Jr. as president and chief executive officer, and Mrs. H. J. Lien as vice-president.

Miss Leta L. Sullivan was re-elected secretary-treasurer, a position she has filled since 1933.

Chairman of the Board Lee A. Sullivan, Sr. began his career with Eli Bridge Company on May 18, 1908, immediately upon his graduation from Roodhouse High school. He first worked in the factory in Roodhouse, and later became secretary-treasurer of the company, a position he held when the company relocated in Jacksonville in 1919.

In 1925 upon the retirement of his father and founder of the firm, the late W. E. Sullivan, he advanced to general manager, and, following the death of his father in 1932 succeeded to the presidency of Eli Bridge Company. He assumes the position of chairman of the board after 59 years of service with the company.



Lee A. Sullivan, Sr.

Lee A. Sullivan, Sr. is well known throughout the outdoor amusement industry for his leadership over the years which has established the local firm's trade mark "BIG ELI" as the standard of reliability by which other amusement rides are judged.

He is also well known in the Jacksonville area for his active participation in many of the civic and building programs of the community. He has been an active member of the official

DINNER TODAY TO FETE BIRTHDAY OF MRS. A. W. GANO

CARROLLTON — Mrs. A. W. Gano will be guest at a family dinner Christmas Day in celebration of her 90th birthday.

The dinner will be given at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bowie in Carrollton. Mrs. Gano, a long time resident of rural Carrollton, makes her home on a farm three miles south of Carrollton with her daughter, Miss Mabel Gano and her son, Barry Gano.

MISS RANSON'S AUNT DIES IN CALIFORNIA

Miss Georgia Ranson of this city has received word of the death of her aunt, Mrs. John (Nellie) Marshall, who died at her home near San Diego, California. Funeral services were held in California on Saturday.

The deceased was the widow of John Marshall, former Jacksonville resident. One son, Ernest of Spring Valley, California survives.

HAYES FUNERAL AT WHITE HALL

WHITE HALL—Funeral services for Mrs. Alta May Hayes were held Thursday afternoon Dec. 22nd at the Pentecostal church in charge of Rev. Glen Coates.

Cleo Hatcher and Verda Lou Mast sang. Pallbearers were Carl Hayes, Basil Taylor, Clarence Wheel, James Brown, Don Slater and Eddie Murphy. Interment was in the Bowers cemetery.

The deceased is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Viola Sparks of Edwardsville and Mrs. Judy Vintila, Benbrook, Texas. There are five grandchildren. Four sisters survive, Mrs. Edna Thompson, Mrs. Norma Leady, Mrs. Lena Barnett, and Mrs. Agnes Leitz.

To All Our Friends and Patrons

We extend our sincere wishes for a very Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year. Thank you for your wonderful patronage this past year. We are looking forward to serving you again this coming year.

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Trinity Church School Pageant Set Wednesday

The Christmas Pageant will be presented by the Church School of Trinity Episcopal church at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 28th, Holy Innocents' Day.

The Christmas story will be given in word and music by the Intermediate, Junior and Tots Chapel Choirs under direction of Mrs. R. M. Harris and Miss Connie Frank with Miss Susan Weller assisting. The public is cordially invited.

The carols to be sung are from many sources, the Galician, Czech, Austrian, French, German, 12th Century English, Appalachian and American in addition to carols written by Ruth Bampton, Ruth Young, S. L. Brown, Harriet Weaver and the Right Reverend George Craig Stewart.

The reader will be Allan Aldridge. The parts of Mary and Joseph will be portrayed by Audrey Ann Simmons and Ted Auner; Caspar, Melchior and Balthazar, Steven Gross, John T. Bellati and Clark Simmons and the crucifer, Bruce Evans. Evelyn Gross will usher.

Mrs. William Gross and Mrs. Henry Aldridge are in charge of the costumes and staging. The Church School superintendent is John W. Willets and the rector, the Rev. R. M. Harris, D.D.

Choir members are: intermediate, Allan Aldridge, Lyn Bradley, Patti Lippert, Audrey Ann Simmons; junior, Penny Auner, Susan Bellati, Ann Bradley, Gail Bradley, Marlene Marshall, John T. Bellati, Billy Chalk, Peter Forsterling, David Frank, Robert Sibert, Richmond Simmons and Clark Simmons.

Tots chapel choir members, John Auner, Linda Klaus, Maureen Evans, Jan Seely, David Taulor, Lauren Simmons, Sylvia Laurent, Don Wright, Lisa Evans, Janice Hopkins, Willie Gross, Annette Hopkins, Scott Simmons, Gordon Lynn, Misty Smith and Pamela Laurent.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee A. Sullivan, Sr. have recently moved into their new home at 351 North Webster, Jacksonville.

Lee A. Sullivan, Jr., newly elected president of the local firm, succeeds his father to become the third generation of the Sullivan family to head the firm that manufactures the world famous BIG ELI Ferris Wheel and BIG ELI Scramblers, amusement riding devices.

Although having served an apprenticeship of on-the-job training in the family firm during his school years, Lee A. Sullivan, Jr. is officially listed on the firm's records as beginning his career with Eli Bridge Company in 1950.



Lee A. Sullivan, Jr.

Since this time he has served in capacities of engineer, assistant secretary-treasurer, chief engineer and vice president.

Prior to this time he had served with the U.S. Navy, receiving his release from service in 1946 to attend college, then being recalled to active duty to serve in the middle east during the Korean conflict in 1951-52.

Lee A. Sullivan, Jr. graduated from the University of Illinois in 1950, with honors, with a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering. He is a member of Tau Beta Pi, Pi Tau Sigma, Phi Kappa Phi, and a recipient of the bronze tablet award.

During college, he was president of Alpha Kappa Lambda fraternity, and remains a trustee. He is also President of the Lloyd Morey Scholarship Fund at the University.

A registered professional engineer, Mr. Sullivan has been continuously engaged in design and production of amusement rides, with emphasis on stress determination and fatigue properties.

He is a past-president and currently a member of the executive committee of the American Recreational Equipment Association. Also active in local interests, Mr. Sullivan is vice-president of the Jacksonville Savings and Loan Association and chairman of the committee for Boy Scout Troop No. 107.

Lee A. Sullivan, Jr. and his wife, the former Barbara Biene-mann, make their home at 1015 West State Street, Jacksonville, with children, William, Patricia, Robert, Susan and Paul.

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\$5,089 Given To Brighten Holidays Here

The Salvation Army, which annually solicits funds to provide a brighter Christmas for persons in need, closed its 1966 Tree of Lights campaign Saturday evening with a total of \$5,089 in donations received.

Tony Niccum and John B. Martin, co-chairmen of this year's drive, expressed satisfaction with the results Saturday evening and thanked the public for its generosity. A goal of \$5,000 had been set.

Members of the Lions club took over Christmas Eve bell-ringing chores and reported a total of \$693.40 collected at the end of the day.

Donations of \$10 or more were received from:

Mildred Biggs, Mr. and Mrs. William Cochran, Ill-Mo Welding Products, Nurses of Jacksonville State Hospital, Mr. and Mrs. Ray J. Schrempf, Elm City Produce, in memory of Ray Sorrells; IBSSS employees, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis W. Sims, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sorrell, Murray Studio.

Kenneth Price, Mr. and Mrs. G. Lukeman, Jr., Walker Hardware Co., Long's Pharmacy, Mrs. John K. Furry, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Funk, Mr. and Mrs. William Fanning, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Gotschall, Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee Hall.

Carl's Cleaners and Hatters, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin G. Foy, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boucher, Merle Ingels, Jacksonville Crown Finance Co., Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Clupper, Anderson Clayton and Co., Flowers by Reiman, Rogers Office Supplies, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Crawford.

Albert W. Hall, Grojean Realty and Insurance Agency, Inc., Hess Tire Co., Mr. and Mrs. Everett Mason, Lioness Club, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Walters, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ruby, R. M. Electric and Mr. and Mrs. Merle Fitzsimmons.

CORRECTION

A story concerning an auto accident at South Diamond and West Morton road stated that a car driven by Alice R. Garmon of 1424 Cedar street collided with a car driven by Gladys A. Pilkington of 15 Havendale Court. The account should have stated the Pilkington auto struck the Garmon vehicle. We regret any embarrassment the error might have caused.

THE VILLAGE PUMP Sunday—Closed Dec. 28—Sassenberger Combo, 9 Dec. 29—Morrie's Combo, 9 Dec. 30 & 31—Clark Bros.

Christmas Greetings May the wonderful beauty of Christmas bring contentment to you and yours.

TINY BEAUTY SHOP

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Pier-son of 927 Doolin became parents of a daughter born at 5:05 p.m. Friday at Passavant hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dawdy of 1030 Sheridan became parents of a son born at 7:05 a.m. Saturday at Passavant hospital.

Christmas As Spent In Winchester

By Naomi Lawson
(Winchester Correspondent)
(Telephone 742-3490)

WINCHESTER — Mr. and Mrs. Russell Little and family of Frankfort, Michigan, are spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Ezra Little and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Dugan are spending Christmas at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don Dugan and family in Columbia, Mo. Mrs. Loretta Glossop left Friday to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Post and daughter in Mountain Lake, N.J.

Mr. and Mrs. William Flynn and Tom are spending Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Dodge and family in Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Daniels and daughter, Brenda of White Hall, spent Christmas Eve with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Daniels.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Turner of Mt. Vernon, Indiana and Pvt. Tom Turner, who is stationed at Ft. Leonard Wood, are spending the holiday weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Williams and daughter, Kay, of Jacksonville are spending Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Emma Bean.

Mrs. Richard Young of Springfield arrived home to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Coultas and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Young of Manchester.

Mrs. Ruth Miller and son, Joe, left Friday to spend Saturday with her son, Richard Miller, Mrs. Miller and family. They had a pre-Christmas dinner Saturday.

Christmas guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Coultas are Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Coultas and family of Decatur, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Coultas of LePorte, Indiana, and Mrs. Isobel Strawatt of Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Walwick and family of Seward, Neb., are spending Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stuart.

Mrs. Frank Redshaw is spending Christmas with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Redshaw and family in Altadena, Cal.

Pfc. and Mrs. Larry Weder of Grovetown, Ga., are spending the holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Weder and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas.

Cadet Douglas Lashmet who is attending Alton Military Academy is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Lashmet.

Mrs. George Cowhick, Jr., is a surgical patient at Holy Cross hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Waltrip of Aley, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Baird and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Baird and family, and Mrs. John Copley were Christmas eve supper guests of Mrs. Edward Baird.

Mrs. Anita Riddell is spending the holidays with Dr. and Mrs. Wallace McMullen and family in Green Bay, Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Patterson are spending the holidays in the home of their daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Don Gilchrist in Jacksonville, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Butzbach and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roper of Glasgow are spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. McCune in Springfield.

Christmas guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kalschnee are Richard Taylor of Ft. Belvoir, Va., Miss Joyce Brodman, Virginia, Mrs. Lillian Kirkley, son, John, Mrs. Edith Kalschnee, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Griefe of Springfield and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cram of Springfield.

Douglas Hoots is spending Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Maxine Hoots and other relatives. He will leave Tuesday for Oakland, Cal. where he will embark for duty overseas.

Mrs. Edward Graham is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Freesen today.

Kenny Gauges, who has been stationed at Ft. Leonard Wood, is spending the holidays with his wife, Elaine and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Haley Gauges.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Reid have Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reid and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cowhick, Mrs. Anna Mae Hayes of Barry, Mrs. Grace Ranson and Mrs. Sarah Ranson of Jacksonville (Turn To Page Eleven)

SEASON'S GREETINGS We want to wish all our friends and customers a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. We closed for the season Dec. 24th at 12 noon. See you next spring.

GISH'S MARKET



WORSHIPFUL MASTERS-ELECT Gale R. Waltrip (left) and Wm. Dean Jarrett (right) of Harmony Lodge No. 3, A. F. & A. M. and Jacksonville Lodge No. 570, A. F. & A. M. respectively, have announced plans for the joint installation of the local organizations.

Master Masons, their families and friends are invited to the joint installation on Sunday, January 7, 1967, at the Jacksonville Masonic Temple, starting at eight o'clock in the evening.

Installing officers will be Hugh W. Bradshaw, Charles P. Runkel, Glenn S. Heidinger and Lynn B. Northrop, all Past Masters.

Other officers to be installed for Harmony Lodge No. 3 are Otto E. Beerup, Jr., Senior Warden; Robert T. Dinsmore, Jr., Junior Warden; J. Wilbur Cully, Treasurer; Edward D. Crowcroft, Secretary; Ralph R. Lomelino, Chaplain; Dale Mul-lens, Senior Deacon; Weldon Earp, Junior Deacon; Louis Phillipschafke, Junior Steward; Jan Blue, Marshal; Clifton W. Fanning, Organist; and Ernest V. Pires, Tyler.

Officers to be installed for Jacksonville Lodge No. 570 are Russell L. Ruby, Senior Warden; Earl D. Meyer, Junior Warden; Clifford W. Sibert, Treasurer; Lewis W. Sims, Secretary; Gerald N. Drum, Chaplain; Robert R. Hinderliter, Senior Deacon; Charles E. Runkel, Junior Deacon; Henry L. Dwyer, Senior Steward; Harold E. Wright, Junior Steward; Raoul

**Lee A. Dixon
Dies, Services
Set In Greene**

GREENFIELD — Lee Ance Dixon, 55, passed away Friday afternoon after suffering a heart attack in Winter Haven, Fla.

Mr. Dixon, who lived in Greene and Madison counties for most of his life, was born at Kane Aug. 9, 1911. His parents were Edward and Alice Tucker Dixon.

Surviving is a daughter, Mrs. Edward Morrison of Petersburg; four grandchildren, a sister, Mrs. Paris Hawley of Jerseyville and a brother, Jeff Dixon of Greenfield.

His parents and one brother preceded him in death. Funeral services have been set at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Shields Memorial Home, Reverend Norman Renn officiating. Burial will be in Witt cemetery, near Rockbridge.

The family will meet friends at the funeral home from 7-9 p.m. Monday.

White Hall Hospital Notes

WHITE HALL — A son was born Dec. 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Clifford of Carrollton, named James Richard, weight 8 pounds, 4 ounces.

Lloyd Steven Adams of Roodhouse was admitted Dec. 17th for treatment of injuries received in an auto accident.

Orin Ransom of White Hall was admitted Dec. 17th, as a medical patient.

Frank Merrill of Roodhouse was admitted Dec. 18th, as a medical patient.

Dismissals during the past week were Mrs. Milburn Clifford and infant son, Lloyd Adams, Edgar Ridings and Wallace Reynolds.

PIKE SOLDIER AT MISSOURI BASE
FT. LEONARD WOOD, Mo. (AHTNC) — Army Private James C. Kurtz, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin R. Kurtz, New Canton, completed advanced training as a combat engineer Dec. 16 at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

During his training, he received instruction in combat squad tactics, use of infantry weapons and engineer reconnaissance.

He also was trained in the techniques of road and bridge building, camouflage, and demolitions.

His wife, Joyce, lives in Rockport, Ill.

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CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY SCHEDULE No Courier Monday December 26 No Journal Tuesday December 27

Funerals

Mrs. Nelle Hawkins GREENFIELD — Graveside rites for Mrs. Nelle Hawkins, a former Greenfield resident, will be conducted at Oakwood cemetery in Greenfield Monday.

Miss Minnie Keating Funeral services for Miss Minnie Keating will be held at noon, Monday, at Church of Our Saviour with interment to be in Calvary cemetery.

The remains may be viewed at the Reavy Funeral Home Sunday afternoon and evening. The Rosary will be recited at 8 p.m.

Joseph W. Dyer GRIGGSVILLE — Funeral services for Joseph W. Dyer will be held at 2:30 p.m. Monday at the Skinner Funeral Home in Griggsville. Reverend Paul Dickson officiating. Burial will be in Griggsville cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Sunday afternoon and evening and until time of services Monday.

Mrs. Mary Ann Johnson Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Ann Johnson will be held at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Church of Our Saviour with Right Reverend Monsignor Michael O. Driscoll officiating. Interment will be in Calvary cemetery.

The family will meet friends 7 to 9 p.m. Monday at the Gillham - Buchanan Funeral Home with the Rosary to be recited at 8 p.m.

Mrs. Mary E. Ford ROODHOUSE — Funeral services for Mrs. Mary E. Ford will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Emmanuel Baptist church. Reverend Edgar Schulz and Reverend Albert Hinners will officiate and burial will be in Pine Tree cemetery at Patterson.

Friends may call at the Mackey Funeral Home, Roodhouse, Monday afternoon and evening.

Lee Ance Dixon GREENFIELD — Funeral services for Lee Ance Dixon will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Shields Memorial Home, Reverend Norman Renn officiating. Burial will be in Witt cemetery, near Rockbridge. The family will meet friends at the funeral home from 7-9 p.m. Monday.

Mary A. Johnson Dies Saturday At 81 Years

Mrs. Mary Ann Johnson, 81, of 1232 South Main street, died at 2:15 a.m. Saturday at Passavant hospital where she had been a patient since Wednesday.

Mrs. Johnson was born in Jacksonville Dec. 20, 1885, the daughter of Thomas and Johanna Ryan McBride. She was married April 23, 1912 to John Johnson, long time Jacksonville city employee who died May 1, 1965.

The following children survive, Josephine, wife of Charles E. Davis and Agnes Elizabeth, wife of Ivan R. Ingram, both of this city; Mary Helen, wife of Alvin H. Bixby of Chicago and John Paul of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. There are three grandchildren, Nancy Jo, Carol Ann and Donna Kay Davis.

Mrs. Johnson was a member of the Church of Our Saviour, Catholic Daughters of America and Altar and Rosary Society of the church.

The remains were taken to the Gillham - Buchanan Funeral Home where the family will meet friends 7 to 9 p.m. Monday. The Rosary will be recited at 8 p.m. that evening.

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BRITON TOLL NOW 56 LONDON (AP) — Fifty-six persons were killed on British roads Saturday — first day of the Christmas holiday weekend.

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United Fund Drive Now At \$104,000

The United Fund Campaign co-chairmen, Robert Spink and Ralph Troyer along with the president of the board of directors of the United Fund of Morgan County, Inc., Robert Kaufmann, Sr., have been following up on final solicitation reports for this year's campaign.

All of the reports are not yet in due in part to the Holiday season. The campaign total is now at \$104,082.18, considerably short of the \$120,000 goal.

Mr. Kaufmann expressed confidence that the volunteers will resume their solicitation and help Mr. Spink and Mr. Troyer wind up a successful campaign.

Anyone wishing to donate who has not been contacted by a solicitor may do so by mailing their contribution to the United Fund of Morgan County, Inc., Gibson Building, Jacksonville, Ill.

The board of directors and the campaign co-chairmen wish to thank everyone who donated time and money to this year's campaign, and extend Season's Greeting to all who have helped in this annual community and county endeavor.

A special note of thanks is called for according to Mr. Kaufmann. The tireless people who work yearly in the rural areas of Morgan County, soliciting homes separated by miles of farmland, and canvassing house to house in the small towns in the various townships do a fine job and deserve recognition.

The organization for county solicitation is handled by chairmen from each Township who enlist workers in their area. Workers reports are made to the township chairman or to the United Fund office.

People acting as Township Chairmen are: Twisp. No. 13-8 Mrs. Robert Norton and Mrs. Jane Sturgeon; Twisp. No. 13-9 Mrs. Ruel Carpenter; Twisp. No. 13-10 Mrs. Earl Wright and Mrs. Floyd Smith; Twisp. No. 14-8 Mrs. Fred Bergschneider; Twisp. No. 14-9 Mrs. Clarence Jewsbury; Twisp. No. 14-10 Mrs. C. J. Lonergan; Mrs. Ronald Becker and Mrs. Richard Langdon; Twisp. No. 14-11 Miss Elizabeth Harty; Twisp. No. 15-8 Mr. and Mrs. Francis Kaiser; Twisp. No. 15-9 Mrs. Chas. Harris; Twisp. No. 15-10 Mrs. Harry Killam; Twisp. No. 15-11 Mrs. Robert Mawson; Twisp. No. 15-12 Mrs. Harry Killam; Twisp. No. 16-8 Mrs. Thomas Dineen; Twisp. No. 16-9 Mrs. Boyne Moore; Twisp. No. 16-10 Mrs. J. E. Dinwiddie; Mrs. Lawrence Mallicoate and Mrs. James Angelo; Twisp. No. 16-11 Mr. R. A. Goodpasture; Twisp. No. 16-12 Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Nortrup; Twisp. No. 16-13 Mrs. Arthur Zerbel and Mrs. Wilbur Alhorn.

In soliciting large employee groups, competition between groups within the company brings some interesting results. Recognition should be given to the groups who surpassed their goals. At Anderson Clayton, the

Friends may call at the Mackey Funeral Home, Roodhouse, Monday afternoon and evening.

ROBT. HEMBROUGH RECOVERING AFTER TRACTOR ACCIDENT

A rural Jacksonville man was reported resting "fairly comfortably" in Passavant hospital Saturday where he is receiving treatment for injuries sustained in a farm accident Thursday.

He was identified as Robert Hembrough, 33, of route five, who is being treated for a broken back.

Hembrough was working on the family farm, beneath a tractor, accidentally released the clutch mechanism, and was caught beneath the wheel and frame of the machine when it began moving.

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Mrs. Harl Norman Flowers, Jr.

Early Holiday Brides

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Mrs. George M. Hollenback



Mrs. David John Roegge

Ruth A. Butcher, Missouri Man, United Dec. 18th

SCOTTVILLE — An early winter ceremony at the Scottville Christian church united in marriage last Sunday afternoon, December eighteenth, Miss Ruth Ann Butcher and Harl Norman Flowers, Jr.

Brother Charles Richison officiated assisted by Brother Gene Kirk.

Red poinsettias and greenery banked the church altar. Darlene Wands was at the piano and Norma Whittle at the organ. Cheryl Ayers was the soloist. Tapers at the altar were lighted by Neil Flowers, brother of the groom and Paul Butcher, brother of the bride.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Butcher, Roodhouse route two and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harl N. Flowers, Sr. of O'Fallon, Missouri.

Mrs. Gary Bridgewater, Greenfield and Jerome Newby of Gillespie, attended the couple. James Butcher, brother of the bride and Dan Wayt, seated guests.

The bride wore an Empire gown of white brocade satin with a Watteau train. A brocade cluster rose headpiece held her veil of illusion. She carried white roses with her white Bible. The bride designed her wedding gown which was fashioned by her mother.

Mrs. Bridgewater wore red velvet with white trim made identically to the gown worn by the bride. Her accessories were white and her headpiece red velvet. Her flowers were white poinsettias with evergreen.

The mother of the bride wore a royal blue wool suit with black accessories and the groom's mother was in teal blue brocade with white accessories. Each wore a corsage of white carnations.

At the reception held in the church basement Mrs. Beulah Spencer, Mrs. Shirley Edwards, Mrs. JoAnn Roemer, Miss Mary Frances Miller, Miss Sandy Morris, Miss Kathy Jones, Miss Kathy Melvin, Miss Cheri Martin, Miss Pat Jones, Miss Susie Winter and Miss Nanci Elmore assisted.

Mrs. Flowers graduated in 1966 from Greenfield High School and attends St. Louis Christian College, also serving as church secretary at the Alton Christian church. The groom graduated in 1964 from Fort Zumwalt High School in O'Fallon and also attends St. Louis Christian College. He is serving as Youth Minister for the Alton Christian church.

Guests attended from St. Louis Christian College in St. Louis, O'Fallon and Crocker, Mo., and from Bloomington, Christopher, Decatur, Greenfield, Scottville, Jacksonville, White Hall, Joliet, Cave-in-Rock and Wheeler, Illinois.



Barbara Smith

ROODHOUSE—Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Smith, Roodhouse route two, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Barbara, to Lonnie Helderman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Helderman, Carrollton route one. A summer wedding is planned.

Miss Smith is a senior in Greenfield High School and her fiancé is employed by the Empco Manufacturing Company at Carrollton.

Honor Former Mary Tyne At Shower Dec. 16

ARENZVILLE — A miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Mary Tyne of Detroit, Mich., was held at the Ralph Clark home on Friday evening, Dec. 16. Miss Tyne became the bride of Lt. Gary Nelson on Sunday evening, Dec. 18. Lt. Nelson is stationed at K. I. Sawyer Air Force Base in Michigan.

The bride-to-be was presented many lovely gifts which had been placed under a white flocked Christmas tree. The Clark home was beautifully decorated in keeping with the holiday season.

Contests furnished entertainment for the guests, with prizes awarded to Mrs. Don Wessler, Mrs. Dale Braner, and Mrs. Henry Tyne. Mrs. Melvin Schone received the door prize.

Present were the guest of honor, Miss Tyne, and her mother, Mrs. Henry Tyne of Detroit,

Mich., Mrs. Charles Blanche of St. Clair, Mrs. Tris Schnepfer of Bloomington, Mrs. A. T. Nelson and Mrs. Glen Deemer of Pearl, Mrs. Bill Costello of Jacksonville, Mrs. Edna Dober, Mrs. Dale Braner, Mrs. Florence Noble, Mrs. Glen Lovekamp, Mrs. Gerald Beard, Mrs. Glen Kunzeman, Mrs. Mike Schnitker, Mrs. Melvin Schone, Mrs. Don Wessler, Mrs. Dick Lippert, Mrs. Dean Zulauf, Mrs. J. K. Nelson, and Miss Becky Clark.

Hostesses were Mrs. Grace Schnitker, Mrs. Edward Wessler and Mrs. Ralph Clark.

ENTERTAINED AT PARTY CARROLLTON — Mrs. Martin Valstad entertained recently at a Christmas party for twelve children at her home. Games were played and Christmas gifts exchanged. Children present were Connie Custer, Bonnie Custer, Gail Henson, Sandra Henson, Randy Henson, Sheryl Henson, Sandy Henson, Marshall Henson, Debbie Enoch, Junior Enoch, Paul Enoch and Kimberly Probst.



Sharon Lynn Ladage

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ladage of Chatham, Illinois have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sharon Lynn, to William Arnold DeLong, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell DeLong of Jacksonville. They plan to be married March fifth, nineteen hundred and sixty-seven.

Miss Ladage graduated from the Glenwood High School and is currently attending Illinois State University. Mr. DeLong graduated from Jacksonville High School in 1965 and is employed by Lowell DeLong, Builder.

Hannah Circle Has Meeting At McAllister Home

Members of Hannah Circle of Grace church WSCS met Dec. 20 at the home of Mrs. Gordon McAllister, 4 Permac Road. Fourteen members were present. Assistant hostesses were Mrs. Gene Fawkes, Mrs. Merle Fitzsimmons, Mrs. Dale Holmes and Mrs. Arthur Shenkel.

Miss Lucille Crawford, co-chairman, conducted a short business meeting. Mrs. Gawks gave devotions and Mrs. Dale Holmes the program, The Christmas Story, after which

carols were sung. Christmas ice cream was served with cookies and coffee by the hostesses.

The Jan. 17th meeting will be with Mrs. John Cully, 236 East Pennsylvania.

HAWKINS ENTERTAINS DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Watson and Mrs. Pauline Lynn were dinner guests of George J. Hawkins Tuesday evening at the Cock-a-Doodle Doo restaurant.

About one-sixth of the 30,000 different flowering plants in the United States can be found in California.

Hollenback And Bradburn Rites At Pittsfield

PITTSFIELD — Miss Janet Lee Bradburn of Pittsfield and George M. Hollenback, Jr., who both attend Illinois State University at Normal, Illinois were united in marriage Saturday afternoon, December seventeenth, at the local Methodist church.

The Reverend Charles A. Bradburn, pastor at Mansfield, officiated. Christmas greenery with gold decorated the church altar, along with white poinsettias and tapers in candelabra.

The Reverend Walter M. Theobald sang and Fred Kern was at the organ.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence M. Bradburn of Pittsfield and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Hollenback, Sr. of Newark.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore a full length gown of white brocade with draped skirt. A tiara of crystal and pearls held her illusion veil and she carried white roses.

Mrs. David Engelman was matron of honor and wore conventional length gold wool with corresponding headpiece. Her flowers were also white roses. Miss Maryann Wolfe of Blue Island and Miss Patricia Hollenback, sister of the groom, were bridesmaids. They wore olive green with matching head-dresses and carried yellow roses.

David Hollenback attended his brother as best man. Groomsmen and ushers were Tom Doetschman, Jerry McCann and John Bradburn, brother of the bride.

The bride's mother wore olive green wool with black and gold accessories and the groom's mother was in a beige knit with beige and brown accessories. Each wore a corsage of yellow roses.

Assisting at the reception held at Orr Hall were Mrs. Hubert Heavner, Miss Candice Larson, Miss Delinda Fehrenbacher, Miss Gloria Franklin, Miss Linda Peterson, Mrs. Floyd Pursley, Mrs. Tom Doetschman,



Margaret Louise Goldstein

Announcement has been made by her parents of the engagement of Miss Margaret Louise Goldstein, senior at Passavant Memorial Hospital School of Nursing, to Richard H. Evans, A June wedding is planned.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Goldstein, Mechanicsburg, Illinois and her fiancé is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Evans, Springfield. Miss Goldstein graduated in 1964 from Tri-City High School at Buffalo and Mr. Evans from Springfield High School in 1962. He also is a graduate of the DeVry School of Chicago. He is serving with the U.S. Navy stationed aboard the USS Mahan.

Potluck Supper For Worthwhile Club At Angelos

Members of the Worthwhile club held an evening Christmas potluck supper recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Angelo, northeast of the city.

After the supper the president, and Miss Ruth Noon.

After a wedding trip to the Ozarks the couple is spending Christmas in Pittsfield and after the first of the year will reside at 1018 Prairie street in Bloomington where they will continue their studies at the University where the bride is a junior and the groom is in his senior year.

Mrs. Joe DeGroot, conducted a short business meeting. The club members voted to give a small sum each to the Christmas gift fund for some of the forgotten patients at Jacksonville State Hospital.

The program was given by Miss Sonia Ordenez, introduced by Mrs. Angelo. She is from Guatemala and is a senior at Routt High School. She discussed Christmas customs in her country and the United States. A gift exchange closed the meeting.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Moody.

Jeanette Rankin was the first woman member of the U.S. House of Representatives.

Diane Johnson, David Roegge Exchange Vows

ARENZVILLE — Miss Diane Elaine Johnson, daughter of O. R. Johnson of Chapin became the bride of David John Roegge, son of Walter Roegge of Arenzville and the late Mrs. Selma Roegge, Sunday afternoon, December eighteenth.

The ceremony was performed at the Trinity Lutheran church in Arenzville with the Rev. Roland Welch officiating.

Inez Maschmeier was at the organ and Wayne Strubbe sang.

Miss Beverly Holstenburg of Arenzville attended the bride as maid of honor. Mrs. Kenneth Phelps, Arenzville, sister of the groom, was bridesmatron and Miss Janie Bammann of Chapin was bridesmaid.

Charles Roegge attended his brother as best man. Don Johnson, brother of the bride and Harland Roegge, another brother of the groom, were groomsmen. Ushers were Kenneth Phelps and Kenneth Roegge, both of Arenzville.

The bride wore a white brocade satin gown on Empire lines. Her veil fell from a double crown headpiece. She carried a cascade of white carnations, centering an orchid.

The bride's attendants wore floor length red velvet, trimmed in white fur. Their head-dresses and slippers matched their costumes. Each carried a bouquet of peppermint carnations.

The bride's mother wore a pink knit costume with black accessories. Her flowers were white carnations.

At the reception held in the school gym, following the church ceremony, the following friends assisted, Joy Schnitker, Vera Patterson, Pat Roegge, Janice Surratt, Carol Johnson, Gerry Johnson, Marian Roegge and Freida Hinds.

Following a short wedding trip the couple returned to this community where the bride will remain while the groom serves with the U.S. Army. The bride is a graduate of Triopia High School and employed by J. C. Penney Company in Jacksonville. The groom, a graduate of the same high school, attended Illinois College and Deans Institution at Rock Island.

JET SET HAIR IN A JIFFY

There's a new electric hair roller heater with 18 rollers and plastic-tipped hair clips that gives you a jet set in 15 minutes. All you need do is plug in this beauty appliance, wait five minutes for the rollers to heat on the metal rods (heat cuts off automatically at right temperature) ... pop the rollers in your hair. By the time the last one is in, you're ready to take out the first roller. You can have a perfect hair set every day.

Editorial Comment

True Spirit Of Christmas

Two little Catholic girls in the Pittsburgh suburb of Swissvale learned that someone had stolen the figure of the Christ Child from a nativity scene outside a Protestant church.

So entirely on their own, Marilyn Strutt, 10, and her sister Mary Jane, 8, took their beloved baby doll to the pastor of the church — a complete stranger — and offered it as a replacement for the missing figure.

The Rev. George W. E. Nickelsburg gratefully accepted the doll on

behalf of the Trinity Lutheran Church with this comment:

"I think it's illustrative of the fact that the Savior belongs not to one people, but to all people."

Why did the girls give away their doll?

"Because they didn't have one."

It will be hard for anyone to translate the Christmas spirit into action more simply, sincerely or eloquently than this. But wouldn't it be wonderful if everyone tried?

Bone In The Throat

Rep. Emanuel Celler of New York has aptly used an old figure of speech to describe the problem of the House with regard to Rep. Adam Clayton Powell. The Harlem congressman's defiance of New York court orders is, in Celler's view, "a bone in the throat of Congress." Getting rid of that bone will not be easy. Though there is considerable talk of disciplining Powell, perhaps even of denying him his seat, Congress can do nothing without acute discomfort.

Celler, who is dean of the New York Democratic delegation, says he would support a motion to have Powell stand aside while a special House committee considered "his wrongs or excesses." Such a motion might prevail. But there is not a very lively prospect for punitive action, even a reprimand.

Congress is traditionally reluctant to discipline a member lest this set a precedent which would open the way to calling the conduct of other members

into question. The fact that Powell is a Negro, and moreover one who has been quick to accuse his detractors of racism, is a further complication in this case.

There is a move afoot, spearheaded by Rep. Lionel Van Deerlin of California, to go the whole way and deny Powell his seat. This sounds simple, but it is not. One practical difficulty springs from Powell's continuing popularity in his district. Were he kept out of Congress, there would have to be a special election, in which case Powell's constituents would be almost certain to choose him again.

These points are not made to support the idea that Congress should swallow its annoyance at Powell's irresponsible conduct, particularly his refusal to comply with court orders. Disciplinary action is possible, and it should be taken. But it would be unrealistic to count very heavily on anything effective being done.

Vignettes From The Press

Survey Required

The U.S. Public Health study of driver reaction patterns has revealed that the motorist who stops suddenly in traffic is more apt to be hit from behind than the driver who does not.

Gosh, who would ever have thought that! (Kentucky Irish-American)

Long Bridge

A group of congressmen was conferring. Said one: "We've got a one hundred and twenty million dollar appropriation to spend which will get us each thousands of votes."

"I've got an idea," said one, "on how to spend it. How about building a bridge over the Mississippi River, lengthwise?" (Midland (Ont.) Herald)

Washington Staff

As Kansas Goes, So Goes The Nation... Years Hence

By WASHINGTON STAFF

Newspaper Enterprise Assn. WASHINGTON — (NEA) — At his first press conference, Spiro T. (Ted) Agnew, Maryland's Republican governor-elect, made the usual promise to appoint only the best qualified people to the important state patronage positions.

He went on to say that he himself would carefully scan the biographical resumes of each prospective appointee to insure this proper selection. At least, that's what he intended to say.

As uttered, it came out "biological resumes" in an unusual slip of the tongue.

"That's great, governor!" somebody quickly called out. "But a lot of people are having problems just bugging a telephone these days."

Robert Docking, Kansas' governor-elect, is one of only two Democrats who defeated Republican incumbents at the statewide level last November. (The other of course, is governor-elect Kenneth Curtis of Maine.)

For this reason — and because Kansas is traditionally one of

the staunchest Republican states in the country — some political observers are wondering aloud what sort of maverick Democrat Docking may be.

Docking himself is one of them. When Hubert Humphrey stopped off in Kansas City in September, Docking was labeled as "Hubert's boy" and a darling of the Americans for Democratic Action.

In October, his opposition began using the slogan, "A vote for Docking is a vote for LBJ." And finally, after Robert Kennedy endorsed him, they accused the New York senator of trying to buy Kansas through Docking's campaign.

An apocryphal story has it that when Kennedy was confronted with this rumor, he mused:

"I could have afforded it, but what would I have done with it?"

Docking believes his election may have national significance. "Kansas has always been a prophet of future land slides," he says. "For instance, Kansas telegraphed the return of the

GOP to power in 1952 when it resisted the FDR appeal in 1932. Kansas gave the tipoff to the 1964 Johnson landslide when it went Democratic against its own favorite son, Alf Landon, in 1936."

"And so," he concludes, "the full significance of my election will undoubtedly be reflected in another generation."

This conversation was overheard in a State Department corridor on the day that former Nazi party member Kurt Kiesinger was sworn in as chancellor of West Germany.

"Say, did you hear what song is now No. 1 on the German hit parade?"

"No."

"I wonder what's Kiesinger now..."

QUOTE OF THE WEEK From an anonymous civil servant during a hot argument with a colleague of noticeably short stature: "You'd better watch what you're saying, buddy, or I'll push the down button on your elevator shoes!"



A GLANCE Into The Past

10 YEARS AGO Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Short of White Hall observed their 60th wedding anniversary last Sunday with a family dinner at the home of their son, Arley, of Carrollton.

A fox drive will be held at Arenzville on Dec. 30. The captains are Bob Lee, Gerald Beard and Don Dober and lunch will be served at the American Legion hall.

The Salvation Army is distributing 359 Christmas baskets this year.

20 YEARS AGO Dr. Robert R. Hartman has returned to Jacksonville following his discharge from the U.S. Medical Corps and postgraduate work at St. Louis City hospital and has opened an office in the Professional Building.

The congregation of Trinity Lutheran church of Arenzville has accepted the resignation of Rev. R. H. Witt to permit him to accept a call to St. Luke's Lutheran church, Ottawa, Canada.

Grapefruit, fresh and canned, is now selling for one-third of the recent OPA ceiling. Butter is 10¢ lower and eggs are 5¢.

50 YEARS AGO Lee Magill, who used to pitch for Burlington when this city was in the Iowa league, has petitioned the circuit court to take his baseball name. He was christened with the grand Teutonic moniker of Leopold Christopher Hoernschmeyer and he is going to get married, but his intended doesn't like his right name. Lee probably would miss a lot of trains if he stopped to introduce his wife under his original name.

His 12th annual 25¢ grab sale begins Thursday morning and will continue until our holiday stock is gone. Values up to \$15.00. Armstrong Drug Stores. (A.D.V.)

75 YEARS AGO Rumor says Alexander is to have a lumber yard in the spring.

Christmas was a bleak day in Waverly following the most disastrous fire the previous night which consumed eight of the leading stores in the city. The Jacksonville steam fire engine was hauled down by a special J.S.E. train, accompanied by about 75 men from here, but the fire had practically burned itself out before they arrived. The loss is expected to exceed \$60,000, with insurance of about \$30,000.

100 YEARS AGO On motion of Mr. Boltwood, of Griggsville, a memorial was adopted by the State Teachers' association convention held here requesting a change in the state law so teachers could be paid each month, instead of semi-annually as at present.

Mr. Horace Greeley, the editor of the New York TRIBUNE, who was delayed in Jacksonville nearly all day yesterday, on his way from Quincy to St. Louis, addressed the State Teachers' convention in the afternoon. If it had been known he was to speak, the church would not have held the crowd. We like the quaint and modest manner of Mr. Greeley's address, though we could not agree with all his ideas.

SHARED STATE'S DEBT At the time of separation, Virginia asked that West Virginia pay a share of the state debt and the problem continued to be an issue in state politics until 1915, when the U.S. Supreme Court decided that West Virginia owed Virginia about \$12 million. Final payment of the debt was made in 1929.



Dr. Loew

By RALPH W. LOEW, D.D. Newspaper Enterprise Assn. The other day a man in the city in which I live said, "What can you do about the city except avoid it?" It was his way of defending his flight from the urban area and his insistence that certain cultural institutions should also run away. I can understand that kind of a desire. Everyone has an urge to run away from the challenging, the unpleasant or the difficult.

That's why Christmas is such a surprise. If I were God, would Bethlehem be known as the birthplace of Christ? Would anyone ever have said, "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son?" Or would we have had God saying, "What can you do about the planet except avoid it?"

The simple stories of His birth, the legends that have grown up about His coming and the blessed traditions that warm our hearts and our homes are the evidence of a more profound fact. Underneath it all is the insistence that God is with us. It's not only the awareness of the living God but the presence of God. That's the comfort and the haunting terror of it all.

So shepherds upon a hillside heard a message and went into Bethlehem. There is no record of what happened to them after that moment except that they went back to care for their sheep. They must have talked over the story in all the years to come as they wondered about their part in it all. They were involved.

So Magi came from distant countries to see a little child and talk of the coming of a new king among men. They couldn't really understand the full meaning of this little life, nor for that

FINDING THE WAY

The Awe of Christmastide— Knowing God Is Involved

For God was involved. That's the message of Christmas and it ought to be that which echoes through the carols, the festival atmosphere and the rejoicing of our households.

This year the festival of Christmas comes appropriately on Sunday. And Sunday is kept as the Christian's day of worship because of Easter. It all belongs together, the Manger and the Cross, the birth and the new life, the beginning and the new understanding of the human creature.

There's so much to understand, so much we can't know, so much to ponder. Let's sing the carols, rejoice with our families and remember that we're keeping the festival of God's involvement with our lives. That ought to send us into Christmas with joy and back to our work as new people. The world is waiting for that message to shine through all of our involvements. Even through us, men can understand that God is involved!

BRIDGES

All the big suspension bridges in the United States are the result, in principle, of a method of spinning cable designed by engineer John Roebling who originated it to design the Brooklyn Bridge, erected under the direction of his son.

HAS HAD VARIED USES Besides its legislative role, the U.S. Capitol has served many other purposes. At different times, it has been used as a hospital, military cafeteria, church, blacksmith shop, bakery, and has been the scene of bazaars, rallies and musical concerts.

NOT SO HOT

The sun, pound for pound, produces less heat than the human body. Its huge size accounts for its enormous production of heat.



matter could Mary and Joseph. All of them could ponder these things. Yet they were involved.

BARBS

By WALTER C. PARKES School kids find the new math much faster except when they are counting the days to Christmas.

A hit-and-run driver's big mistake is thinking he can run away from his conscience.



Young children differ from adults in that the kids' instinct is to give honest answers to questions.

Ann Landers:

New Mother Finds Fears Were Needless

By ANN LANDERS Dear Ann Landers: The letter from the woman who was afraid to have a baby could have been written by me. Maybe my story will give her courage.

After five years of marriage I discovered I was pregnant. I never wanted to have any children because I was terrified at the thought of pregnancy and delivery. My husband was thrilled when I told him the news and I thought to myself, "That's just like a man."

I had an excellent job as an executive secretary and decided to keep working as long as I felt good. Well, Ann, I worked until five days before the baby was born. I felt marvelous the whole time and was never happier.

The labor pains started when my husband was out playing golf. When the pains were four minutes apart I drove myself to the hospital and checked myself in. I left a note for my husband telling him where I was and to come over when he got home. I read a little, dozed a little and before I knew it I had a beautiful baby girl.

Of course there was a little discomfort, but it wasn't half as bad as I thought it would be. I could kick myself for having worried needlessly all those years. You may use me as an example to others if you wish. —LUCKY ME

Dear You: You are a fine example — to a point. But I would not advise a woman whose labor pains are four minutes apart to drive herself to the hospital. Your signature is appropriate but do you realize "how" lucky you are? Next time, if your husband is playing golf, call a taxi.

Dear Ann Landers: I was very disappointed when you told the 14-year-old girl that she owed an apology to the 40-year-old man who greeted her with "Hi, Beautiful!" She answered, "Hello, Ugly."

We have a daughter the same

age and I had better not catch her in that manner. Old geezers who get chummy with young girls should be told off. I can't understand your putting down the girl instead of the fresh-mouthed man.

I have a hunch you were on vacation and one of your assistants wrote that answer. Right? —X-RAY EYES

Dear Eyes: Wrong. When I take a vacation the answers are prepared before I leave town. Every word that appears under my byline is written by me.

Sorry, Lady, but I still feel that the girl was rude. A 40-year-old who says "Hi, Beautiful!" to a teen-ager is not necessarily a dirty old man.

Dear Ann Landers: My father has been a widower for many years and has always said he would never re-marry. He is a friendly extrovert and enjoys the companionship of women, however, and this is proving to

be a problem. Not to him, but to

us. Dad has had three different women living with him since Mother died 10 years ago. We could tell people that these women are "housekeepers" but he takes them out socially. He keeps a woman about three years then tires of her and makes a change.

You will probably say it's his business, but it becomes our business when the children begin to ask what goes with Gramps. Do you have an answer? — TONGUE - TIED DAUGHTER

Dear Daughter: Untie your tongue and tell your children that Gramps is a friendly fellow who enjoys socializing with his housekeepers. No explanation beyond that is necessary.

Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

The Mature Parent

If Psychotherapist Fails To Win

Trust, Ditch Him

By MURIEL LAWRENCE Newspaper Enterprise Assn.

DEAR MRS. LAWRENCE: I have been in therapy with a clinical psychologist for over a year. I went into treatment for nervousness after my mother's death and my father's almost immediate remarriage. But I do not think my doctor has helped me. If I do not agree with what he tells me about myself, he accuses me of "resistance." As you seem to know something about psychotherapy, please tell me if you think I should leave this therapist and find another one.

ANSWER: It's not my business to tell you that. However, it is my business to say that I wouldn't spend 10 minutes with a psychotherapist who talked his professional language to me. I'd say to myself, "My goodness, I am not paying this man to teach me his language. I'm paying him to talk to me in mine."

In an article by Dr. Howard Korman, a distinguished psychoanalyst, I find this statement: "You will not turn out to be a waste of time by scolding us for rubber stamp of your analyst's 'resistance' to him. He knows thinking. It is not important that you agree in details, but it is important that you be in agreement with the essentials of his said."

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A good therapist does not waste time by scolding us for rubber stamp of your analyst's "resistance" to him. He knows thinking. It is not important that you agree in details, but it is important that you be in agreement with the essentials of his said."

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AMERICAN MENU

Stretching Food Dollars

By GAYNOR MADDOX

Newspaper Enterprise Assn. Q—Can you give me any hints on how to stretch my food dollars?

A—To fight rising food prices without lowering quality of family meals, use as many seasonally plentiful foods as you can. Foods in plentiful supply are generally cheaper and often bargains as "specials." So look sharp for them. Here are the leading plentiful foods that should be in your markets at this moment:

Broiler-Fryers—Supplies about 10 per cent above a year ago, and are a good protein buy.

Grapes—California Emperor grapes represent the major portion of fresh grapes on sale now. Alameda and Ribier varieties are also plentiful. Supply of grapes will be well above average.

Winter Peas—Production is about 16 per cent above average.

age. Bosc, Anjou and Comice varieties will be available.

Pork—The pattern of increasing supplies expected to continue.

Salmon—Canned salmon inventories large. Many packers are planning special advertising and promotional campaigns, so watch for specials.

Q—Can people get aluminum poisoning from food cooked in aluminum pots and pans? My grandmother says she always heard you could.

A—No. Periodically there are rumors of aluminum poisoning resulting from the use of aluminum cooking utensils. This dates back to the agitation about the alleged harmfulness of aluminum in the early years of the present century. However, no scientific evidence has been presented to show that there is any harm in either aluminum cooking powders or aluminum cooking utensils.

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Today's Crossword Puzzle

People of all Sorts

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11 Sent again

13 Wrinkle

14 Chemical hydrocarbon

15 Dyestuff

16 Elders (ab.)

17 Cattle bedding

18 — Skelton

20 Rub out

21 Marabou

25 Puffed up

30 Act of lending

31 Perry

32 Story

33 Ireland

34 Speaker

37 Capt. Kidd, for instance

38 Julius Caesar was one

41 Rights (ab.)

44 Short lances

45 City in the Netherlands

46 Spall

50 Easily masticated

52 Vanquish

53 Oily ketones

54 Filch

55 Barter

DOWN

1 Makes mistakes

2 Forest creature

3 Devotees

4 Gilder's mound

5 Greil's brother

6 Gardner's tool

7 Affirmative reply

8 Den

9 Anglo-Saxon slave

10 Alan

12 Four-part (comb. form)

13 Deist

18 Egyptian sun god

21 Singing voice

22 Bellow

23 Trying

24 The dill

26 Genus of maples

27 East African hartebeest

28 Exude

29 Completed

30 Trying (ab.)

31 experience

32 Cook in an oven

37 Singer, Page

43 Out of danger

45 Feminine

46 Exploit

47 Gaelic

48 Pasture

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52 Introduce

53 appellation

54 Allowance for waste

55 Out of danger

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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BERRY'S WORLD



How Much Will Farm Budget Be Trimmed? What Will Get Cut?

By OVID A. MARTIN
AP Farm Writer

WASHINGTON (AP)—A question arising among farm leaders in and out of government is, "Will Congress swing an ax on agricultural spending, and if so, where will it fall?"

There is a general belief among some of these leaders that the time is near when tax money spent on activities of the Agriculture Department will be reduced.

This concern exists despite the fact that Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman has said the agricultural budget President Johnson will recommend to Congress for the next fiscal year will be slightly above the \$6 billion being spent this year.

Farm leaders base their expectation that Congress may do some budget trimming on several developments, including inflation, administration losses in recent congressional elections, and widespread public demands that government spending be reduced.

Where The Money Goes

Agricultural spending falls into four general categories: 1. Farm income assistance programs. 2. Rural areas economic and social development programs. 3. Regulatory, food inspection and related programs of benefit to consumers. 4. Agricultural research which has both farm and urban aspects. The last costs relatively little compared with the other activities.

Of course, the public's attention has been centered mainly on the farm aid programs. This year those programs will take around \$4 billion, including about \$3.6 billion in direct payments to farmers to supplement incomes from the sale of farm products.

It may be possible to reduce these payments \$500 million for

Certificates For Meat Given As Door Prizes

At the annual meeting held here Thursday the Morgan County Farm Bureau and its affiliated cooperatives distributed as door prizes "meat certificates" which may be redeemed at any supermarket, counter or butcher shop.

Receiving certificates worth \$5 were Clarence Hoots, route 2; Mrs. Harold McDevitt, Franklin; Robert Kirchner, Chapin; Wallace T. Hembrough, route 5; Wilbur Alhorn, Meredosia.

Recipients of \$3 certificates were Mrs. Pearl Killam, Chapin; Guy Seymour, Franklin; Don Ransdell, Franklin; E. A. Perry, Jacksonville; Raymond Vasey, route 2; P. O. Francis, Franklin; Mrs. Albert Potter, Jacksonville; Lou Cummins, Chambersburg; Mrs. John U. Becker, Jacksonville; Fred A. Nicholas, Murrayville.

State Extension Offices Now Out Of Farm Bureaus

The University of Illinois Cooperative Extension Service has just completed a series of office location and arrangement changes designed to emphasize extension's education function and to better service all who seek educational assistance from the University.

John B. Claar, director of the Cooperative Extension Service, says that another objective of changing the location, arrangement and identification of some county offices was to more clearly indicate the three-way relationship of the offices to the University, the USDA and local people. All counties in the state either have met the January 1 deadline for making the necessary office changes or have entered into contracts for space that will meet the new standards.

Extension offices are now in 46 public buildings, including post offices, courthouses, banks and business buildings. Seven are in "Extension Centers" owned by extension associations or other non-profit organizations. And the Cooperative Extension Service occupies offices in 62 Farm Bureau office buildings that also house other tenants not affiliated with Farm Bureau.

More than four-fifths, or 87 per cent, of milk is water; the remainder is fat, protein, carbohydrates and minerals.

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'Danish Scholar' Addresses Farm Bureau



DR. HANS ODEGAARD, of Denmark, was introduced Thursday afternoon as substituting for T. C. Peterson of the Chicago office, American Farm Bureau Federation, who was scheduled to address the annual meeting of the Morgan County Farm Bureau and affiliated cooperatives at MacMurray College.

His accent and witicism captivated his audience of approximately 500 farm folks from all sections of the county, as may be seen in the close attention paid by Byron Stewart, president of

(the Morgan County Service Co.

At the close of his address the Dr. dropped his accent, took off his steel-rimmed spectacles, his mustache and his wig, and then greeted his Morgan County friends—including Cary Strang, Farm Bureau president—as T. C. Peterson.

When photographed for the second time the speaker said that he came by the accent easily as his parents were immigrants from Denmark.

Illinois Farm OUTLOOK

POULTRY AND EGGS TO BE ABUNDANT AND CHEAP IN 1967

The outlook for poultry and eggs is both bright and dim. It is bright for consumers and dim for producers. Most of those who get this report are consumers rather than producers of poultry and eggs.

Turkeys Are Abundant. Farmers raised about 116 million turkeys in 1966, 11 per cent more than the previous record set in 1965. By the time we finish the leftovers after Christmas, turkey consumption will average nearly 8 pounds per person. That's half a pound more than last year and double what we ate in 1950.

Despite the larger output of turkeys this year, farmers received slightly higher prices than in 1965. But their profits were no better, because feed costs went up even more than turkey prices. Returns were sufficient, however, to encourage producers to raise more turkeys next year. A group of turkey market experts recently concluded that production would reach 125 million in 1967. That would be 10 per cent more than in the past year. They expect prices received by farmers for turkeys to be 10 to 15 per cent lower next year.

Poultry Feed Costs Are Up. Producers of turkeys, broilers and eggs will probably find feed costs about 5 per cent higher in the first half of 1967 than they were in the same period this year. Feed costs may average 3 to 5 per cent lower in the last half of the year than in 1966.

Broilers, Broilers Everywhere. The broiler business has been growing rapidly, though not in Illinois. Our state does, however, produce much of the feed used in broiler production. The principal feeds are corn and soybean meal.

Market supplies of broilers averaged about 49 million a week in 1966, 10 per cent more than the year before. That amount was equal to one-fourth of a broiler per person each week or nearly 32 pounds per person per year.

Consumption of other chicken averaged 4 pounds per person, making total consumption of chicken about 36 pounds of turkey raises the poultry total to 44 pounds. This figure may be compared with 37 pounds of pork, 102 pounds of beef, 5 pounds of veal, 4 pounds of lamb and 11 pounds of fish.

Broiler production is expected to continue 8 to 10 per cent over year-before levels for several months, if not throughout the entire year. Prices received by farmers seem likely to be lower than in 1966, perhaps falling to an unprofitable level for an extended period. Homemakers will find no better buy for filling family plates.

Lower Egg Prices Expected. Eggs may average 4 to 5 cents a dozen less in 1967 than in 1966. This reduction seems likely to apply to both retail and farm prices. Egg production totaled about 65 billion in 1966, the same as in 1965. Poultry experts expect at least 3 per cent more eggs in 1967.

Egg consumption has been decreasing for many years. The average was about 301 per person in 1966, according to USDA estimates. In 1947-49 it was 385. The decrease has been 22 per cent. Eggs seem likely to sell at bargain prices throughout much of 1967.

L. H. Simerl, Extension Economist, Agricultural Marketing

BIGHORN SHEEP
Arizona has an estimated 2,800 desert bighorn sheep. This probably represents the largest number of the animals in any one state of the Union. Total bighorn sheep population in the United States is less than 8,000.

Swine Station Tests Show Steady Trend Toward Leaner Pork

Illinois hog farmers are steadily improving hog quality and feeding efficiency. At least that's what test results from seven state swine testing stations indicate.

Hogs are still gaining more on less feed. This year market hogs ate 308 pounds of feed per 100 pounds of gain. In 1964, the first year for station tests on market hogs, 322.5 pounds of feed produced 100 pounds of pork.

The boars averaged 275 pounds of feed per 100 pounds of gain. The figure for boars has decreased steadily from 336.8 pounds in 1955, the earliest year for which station data are available.

Less Backfat. In the 1966 tests, backfat thickness averaged 1.30 inches on market hogs compared with an average of 1.58 inches on littermates of test boars in 1955. This year average backfat thickness on boars was 1.03 inches. The 1965 average was .98 inch, the lowest since 1955, when the average was 1.37 inches.

The average loin eye in the market hogs measured 4.71 square inches, reflecting a

steady increase from the 1955 average of 3.80 square inches from test boars' littermates.

Average carcass length has varied little from this year's average 29.8 inches.

More Lean Meat. Average figures on 278 carcasses showed 57.71 percent in four lean cuts.

Hogs on station tests showed the least improvement in average daily gains. In 1966 tests they averaged 1.65 pounds of gain daily. In 1964 the average daily gain was 1.71 pounds. Boars gained an average of 1.82 pounds daily, showing a slight upward trend.

The seven Illinois swine testing stations are cooperatively owned by area hog farmers organized into producer associations. Cooperating farmers provide hogs for the tests. Extension swine specialists at the University of Illinois help producers plan the tests and summarize data.

Revised Farm Record Plan Uses Computer

In 1967 a pilot group of farmers will use a redesigned farm record book for Illinois FBPM cooperators, reports University of Illinois farm management specialist D. F. Wilken.

The new book allows farmers to allocate more of their non-feed costs to specific production enterprises. And it will also make use of an electronic computer's ability to store and recall innumerable facts in summarizing farm records.

The plan is designed to use the combined abilities of the farmer, the farm management association fieldman and the computer in fulfilling farm bookkeeping, accounting and summarizing tasks at the lowest possible cost.

Area Beef Cow, Calf School Next Month

Farmers who have beef cattle breeding herds are invited to a Cow-Calf School to be held Jan. 3 and Jan. 10 at the Extension Center east of Jacksonville.

"This special two-day school will not be held in surrounding counties," says Farm Adviser George Trull. "Hence all interested persons in this area are invited to attend."

Thurs 12 beef cow herdsmen have signed up for the school and Trull is hoping for a minimum of at least 25 registrants. There will be a \$2.75 charge for a handbook and supplies and enrollments are now being accepted at the Cooperative Extension office on East Morton Road.

Animal science will be the topic of the opening day session, with Dr. Richard Simms, area livestock adviser, discussing breeding, performance testing, feeding and management. The afternoon will be devoted to the economics of the beef cow herd with Fay M. Sims, U. I. specialist in farm management in charge.

The Jan. 10 session will be devoted to "The Health of the Beef Cow Herd" by Dr. M. E. Mansfield, U. I. Extension veterinarian and a panel on "Pasture Improvement and Management" composed of the county farm advisers and a group of farmers who have greatly increased beef gains through better pastures.

4-H Club Activities

Elected recently as officers of the Ebenezer Girls 4-H club were: Mary Jo Flynn, president; Ann Rigg, vice-president; Mary Jane Henderson, secretary; Karen Tomhave, treasurer; and Linda Wheeler, program chairman. Ann Rigg is the club's federation delegate.

The next meeting of the group will be held at 4 p.m. Jan. 9 at North Jacksonville school.

The Nortonville Ag 4-H club met Dec. 19 at the home of Ed Clayton with Johnny Allen, president, in charge. Gifts were exchanged and games were played. Refreshments were served by Betty Clayton.

MURRAYVILLE — The 4-H Kings and Queens Ag club met Dec. 19 at the Legion Home for a potluck supper served at 6:30 p.m. to members and their families.

The regular meeting followed and plans were made to provide Christmas baskets for shut-ins. A talk was given by Larry McGrath and a demonstration by Jon Freeman, Sarah Lynn Suttles gave a health report. Awards were presented to members and gifts were exchanged.

The Little Women's 4-H club closed its 1966 season with a Christmas party at Centenary church.

The brief business session included a prayer, pledges and officers' reports.

The program opened with Christmas carols, played by Debbie Israel, organist. An abbreviated form of the Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens and the New York Sun's editorial "Is There A Santa Claus?" were read by the club leader, Terry Davis and Deborah Thomas arranged group singing.

Decorations were planned by Ellen Fanning, Loretta Rattler and Mary Ann Slater. Serving on the social committee, which provided refreshments were Kathy Lewis, Mindy Slavens, Debbie Pence, Debbie Hogan and Susie Ransom. They were assisted by Mrs. Courtney Ford, Mrs. Harry Roach, Mrs. W. C. Everett, Mrs. Harriett Pate and Mrs. Schofield.

There will be no regular meetings during January and February.

CHANDLERVILLE — The Pontiac Pioneers 4-H club held its third meeting of the current session at the home of Mark Williams. Twelve members and two guests attended.

The business meeting was conducted by Edean Leinberger. Membership pins were distributed by the leader, Floyd Jurgens. Christmas gifts were exchanged and games played during the social hour with refreshments served by the host and his mother.

The next meeting is scheduled at 7 p.m. Jan. 11 at the home of Edean Leinberger.

GREENFIELD MAN DEPUTY SHERIFF FOR GREENE COUNTY

CARROLLTON — Gary Melvin of Greenfield was named additional Deputy Sheriff in the office of Donald Vinyard, Greene County Sheriff.

Melvin was appointed when the Greene County Court of the 7th Judicial District decided that the work of the sheriff's office was heavier than in the past and allowed the appointment of an additional deputy. The decision was made December 16 with Judge L. A. Mehroff presiding. Dale Kunzeman was appointed deputy sheriff when Sheriff Vinyard took office. Melvin will begin his work the first week in January.

Name Probation Officer. Dale Kunzeman, deputy sheriff, was appointed juvenile police and probation officer December 16 by Judge L. A. Mehroff in the Greene County Circuit Court of the 7th Judicial District. Kunzeman succeeds William Atchison whose term had expired.

Plowland & Meadow

By the
Journal Courier
Farm Editor

BRIMFUL and running over

By Jim Brim

A tractor used a few minutes several times a day can put more wear on the engine than steady field work.

Engine heaters, ether, trickle chargers are not substitutes for good engine maintenance. A battery loses half its power at freezing temperatures. Be sure the generator or alternator is in good condition. Use fuel and oil adapted for cold weather use. Keep fuel tanks full.

Engine temperature is the biggest single factor in engine wear. Check your thermostat. Plan your work to give time for a warm-up to operating temperature of 160-180 degrees before you put a load on your tractor.

Watch engine speed. Low speed operation may not let engine warm up and reduced oil flow can damage rings and sleeves.

Use fast, dependable starts clean and adjust or replace spark plugs, replace points, check timing, replace cracked or frayed wiring. Clean and tighten battery terminals.

Use recommended winter weight oil and change oil and filter more often than usual.

Cold thick oil is hard to force through the filter and it may go through the bypass if the filter is partially clogged. Multiple viscosity oils flow easily when cold, but stay thick enough to lubricate a warm engine.

A little planning in engine care as in all things can save time and money.

Now you should
Order fertilizer.
Be sure you found all hidden gifts.
Read Luke 2: 1-40.
Take inventory for the end of the year.
Enjoy the children.
Sing.
Re-read cards and letters.

Read the instructions before using gifts.

Practice temperance in eating. Remember all the candy is good and you don't have to sample it all. You'll feel better later if you remember that in almost all cases the eyes are larger than the stomach.

Remember those who may need a little extra help — or be a little lonely. No gift can compare to giving of a little of oneself.

Save some of the season's good cheer to use all through the year.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Winter Planting Hints Wheat Crop Will Set Record

WASHINGTON (AP)—A record high 1967 wheat crop of around 1.6 billion bushels was indicated Thursday by an agriculture department survey showing farmers have planted the largest acreage to winter wheat since 1952.

Winter wheat plantings for harvest next Spring and Summer were reported at 52,123,000 acres, an increase of 26 per cent over this year's 42,896,000 acres.

The department said that as of Dec. 1, the winter wheat crop was indicated at 1,282,860,000 bushels, up more than a fifth from this year's production of 1,056,821,000 bushels. Winter wheat normally makes up about 80 per cent of the entire wheat crop.

No forecast was given on the 1967 Spring wheat crop which will not be planted until next spring.

To replenish supplies cut low by heavy foreign shipments, the department increased the 1967 wheat-planting allotments 32 per cent over allotments for this year's crop.

The department's goal for the upcoming wheat crop is about 1.6 billion bushels, including about 1,280 million for winter wheat and 320 million for Spring wheat.

The department said all states seeded sharply more acreage than a year earlier. Several Spring wheat producing states—Montana, Washington, Idaho, South Dakota and Nevada—planted the most winter wheat acreage in history.

Arkansas, Mississippi and Louisiana also planted record high acreages. The department said the five states leading in winter wheat acreage—Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Nebraska and Colorado—seeded the large acreage since the early 1950s.

Burros are as common to New Mexico as goats.

Much Larger Imports Of Wool And Mutton Crimps Lamb Market

"Go west, young man" is still good advice for livestock producers, particularly sheepmen, if they want to stay in the business, quipped George R. Frelk of the Monier Sheep Co.

He told Illinois Sheep Day visitors that sheep production is centering more in the west and less in the midwest. There are 30 to 40 per cent fewer lambs than usual on feed in the midwest.

"Any significant increase in sheep numbers during the next two years will occur in the west," Frelk said.

However, midwestern farmers are centralizing and intensifying livestock production. "The fences are down and the emphasis is on the machine shed instead of the livestock shed," Frelk noted. "I'd say I'm a pessimistic optimist about the sheep industry in the midwest."

He suggested that midwestern livestock farmers need to produce meat more efficiently, in "factories" if necessary, to compete with western producers.

Noting the low demand for breeding sheep, Frelk commented that the "sparkle and enthusiasm needed for the survival of any industry" have been lacking among sheepmen.

He said "a fat lamb depression" last spring seriously hurt some sheepmen. Prices for market lambs normally increase from January to June, but last February the market slumped.

Market lamb prices were about the same in September of this year as in September 1965, but lamb feeders didn't have the benefit of favorable prices between February and June. Some farmers who had paid as much as 26 cents a pound for western feeder lambs have been selling them for 23 cents a pound.

Tuetken Heads Illinois Valley Angus Group

Laverne Tuetken of Jerseyville was elected president of the Illinois Valley Angus Association at the annual meeting held Dec. 17 at Greenfield.

Other officers are Dale Featherstone of Greenfield, vice president; Melvin Klaus of Carlinville, second vice president; Wilbert Joyce of Greenfield, secretary-treasurer; Jack Wock of Jerseyville, state director; and Eloise Featherstone of Greenfield, publicity.

The 81 members and guests attending were served dinner in the church annex by the Baptist Ladies. Sandra Doll played appropriate music on the piano during the dinner hour and then accompanied Carol Vetter who sang carols.

Recognition was given to winners of Illinois Valley Angus trophies at local county fairs: Maralee Mears, Greene; Kenneth and David Rahe, Morgan; Roger Battles and Paula Schuckebier, Montgomery; Cathy Klaus, Macoupin; Mike Wock, Jersey; Gary Rahe and Jim Rahe, Scott; Bruce Hoover and Linda Hoover, Pike.

Angus-Ettes introduced were Diana Baker of Bunker Hill, Patty Ross of Greenfield and Judy Tuetken of Jerseyville. Door prizes were awarded to Rozetta Twitchell, Greenfield; Manley Hoover, Pearl and Diana Baker.

M. J. Melvin announced the spring sale would be held March 9th.

TRIOPIA FHA GROUP VISITS SENIOR CITIZENS

The Triopia Chapter of Future Homemakers of America met Dec. 19 at the home of their adviser, Mrs. Mary Smith.

The principal activity of the evening was the Christmas caroling for the senior citizens of the town. Later the group returned for refreshments and a social hour.

Floral Christmas gifts were presented to chapter mothers, Mrs. Charles Ater and Mrs. Norman Austiff.

At the group's meeting Dec. 8 reports were heard on the sale of Christmas candles and fruit cakes. Gifts were brought in for the forgotten patient project at the State Hospital.

Mrs. Velma Baird, home economist for Illinois Power Company of Jacksonville, demonstrated the making of various Christmas decorations and a simple and delicious candy. The candy was served with punch as refreshments.

HOG PRODUCTION UP 7% IN ILLINOIS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (AP) — Hogs and pigs on Illinois farms were 7.08 million Dec. 1, up 7 per cent from a year ago.

The State Crop Reporting Service said Friday that farrowings were expected to be up 8 per cent from December to February.

The September-November farrowings numbered 361,000. Farrowings in March to May were expected to be down 1 per cent.

The 1966 pig crop of 10.6 million was 5 per cent above 1965 but the smallest since 1954.

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Large Imports

The USDA estimated 14 percent fewer lambs on feed for 1966 than for 1965 and a per capita increase of about one-third pound in lamb consumption, said Frelk. Increasing consumption and decreasing domestic production should mean favorable prices to farmers for lambs, but this situation has meant no such thing this year, he pointed out.

"What happened?" asked Frelk.

These were his observations: The price of wool has dropped from about 50 cents a pound last year to the present price of less than 38 cents a pound.

Meat packers are receiving \$1.75 less for both lamb pelts and lamb meat-packing by-products.

Lamb imports have increased 55 percent and mutton imports have increased 262 percent since last year. Wool imports also are up 24 percent.

Frelk also referred to a U.S. government contract requiring New Zealand to supply 10,000 carcasses a month to U.S. military forces in Viet Nam.

Meat and wool imports and the market for offal are responsible for the present uncertainty in the midwestern lamb market, he concluded.

ACROSS THE FIELDS AND FURROWS



with ED GARLICH

THE PENNIES IN

THE FARM DOLLAR

Last year's farm dollar — the average of all the sales from all the farms and ranches and groves in the United States — was made up of 56 cents from livestock and its products and 44 cents from crops. That is also the average for the last 10 years according to the U.S.D.A. The largest single contribution to this imaginary dollar was made by meat animals, 33 cents. Dairy products accounted for 13 cents, poultry and eggs for 9 cents and other livestock added a penny more.

Feed crops brought 9 cents; vegetables, 7 cents; cotton and oil crops, 6 cents each; food grains, 5 cents; fruits and nuts, 4 cents; tobacco, 3 cents; and all other crops, 4 cents.

FROM THE CORN CRIB

Mary: "Do you know that young farmer tried to kiss me? He told me that he had never kissed any girl before."

Jane: "What did you tell him?"

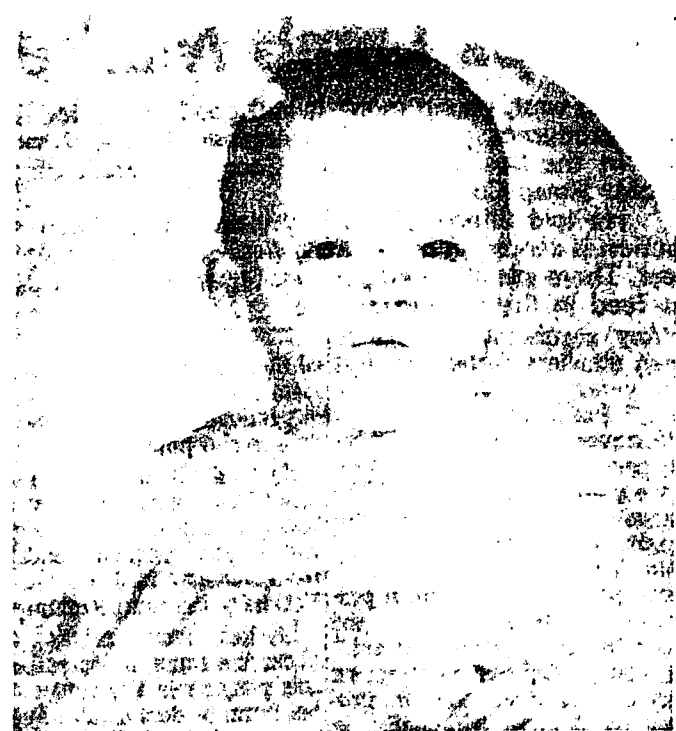
Mary: "I said I was no agricultural experiment station."

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MERRY CHRISTMAS

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BIRTHDAY PARADE



JUDY BETH EVANS, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon M. Evans, Winchester, had her first birthday Dec. 20. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Raymond M. Evans and Mr. and Mrs. J. Leonard Havens, and great grandparents are Mrs. Leszy Turner, Mrs. Bertha M. Havens and Mr. Toney Lawson all of Winchester.



Twins STACY JANETTE LEASE and TRACY ANNETTE LEASE were 2 years old Dec. 20. Their parents are Sgt. and Mrs. Robert Lease now residing with Mrs. Richard Kleinlein, Mercedia. They will leave for England after the first of the year. Grandparents are Marie Heeman, Pittsfield; and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Balch, Bakersfield, Calif.



STEPHEN JOHN WINTERS, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Winters, Sacramento, Calif., formerly of Jacksonville, was 3 years old recently. He has a little sister Sheryl Marguerite. Paternal grandparents are Mrs. John Winters, 848 W. Chambers, and the late Mr. Winters.



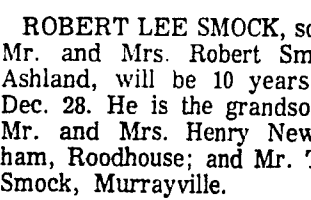
My name is DAVID NEWMAN. I am in the 4th grade at Winchester. My parents are Mr. and Mrs. Earl Newman and I have two sisters, Julie aged 5, and Marsha aged 2. My birthday was Dec. 17. I was 10 years old.

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AMY JO McCURLEY, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William McCurley, Concord, will be one year old Dec. 26. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Russell Suratt, Concord; and Mr. and Mrs. William McCurley, Jacksonville. Her great grandparents are Mrs. Julia Hamm, Concord; Mrs. Molly McCurley, Jacksonville; and Mr. and Mrs. William Browniege, Mt. Sterling. Her great grandmother is Druzella Ferreira, Jacksonville.



CHRISTINE MARGARET DAY will have 2 candles on her birthday cake Dec. 29. To help her celebrate she has an older sister and 3 brothers. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Day, R. 3; and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Day, Jacksonville; and Mrs. Jeanette Daily, Peoria.



GARY WAYNE WESTERMEYER, Son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Westermeyer, Bluffs, will be 2 years old Dec. 30. He is the grandson of Mrs. Thelma Barnett and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Westermeyer, Bluffs. His great grand mothers are Mrs. Kate Barnett, Mrs. Emma Westermeyer, Bluffs; and Mrs. Lydia Balke, Winchester.

BIRTHDAY WISH
 Birthday and Christmas greetings go to all these birthday marchers from the Junior Page readers and your editor.

JOIN THE PARADE
 Two weeks or more before your birthday send your name, birthdate, address and parents' names to the Junior Editor, Jacksonville Journal - Courier, Jacksonville, Ill. (The information will be scheduled for the Sunday nearest your Birthday.) Photos may be sent if desired, and these can be called for as soon as they have appeared in the paper.

New Year Slumber Party

By Christine Hembrough



DALE CONNER, Franklin School

SANTA TO THE MOON

Have you ever gone to the moon? Well Santa has. He lost his reindeer. It was time to leave the north pole and the reindeer were gone. Santa wondered where they had gone. There was a note tied to the sled. It said that the reindeer had gone to the moon.

"Elves hurry! I have to go to the moon and get my reindeer. I'm already late for my Christmas trip. Hurry and load my sled and I will be back in a little while."

"Good," said Santa. "I'm already at the moon. There's the man in the moon. Where are my reindeer?"

"I don't have them on the moon," said the man in the moon. "They are on your planet now. I sent them back to Santa's house. Take off, Santa, and get back in time. Hurry! Goodbye!"

"There they are! There are the reindeer," said the elves, "and here comes Santa. Get him and let's go. We'll see you later back here at Santa's house."

"The trip was good," Santa said. "I visited every little boy and girl. They were all good. I was so happy and nobody was unhappy. It is a very Merry Christmas and I made many glad."

Tonyla Kehoe
 Franklin School

Fortune Cookies
 3/4 cup soft butter
 1 tsp. vanilla
 1 cup flour, sifted
 2 cups sugar
 3 eggs
 5 doz. paper "fortunes"

Prepare fortunes ahead of time. Cream butter and sugar until fluffy. Blend in vanilla. Add eggs one at a time, beating well after each addition. Beat in flour. Grease and flour cookie sheets. Drop 6 rounded tsp. of dough on each cookie sheet at least 2 inches apart. Bake 325 degrees F. 10-20 minutes or until edges are well browned.

Remove from oven, loosen cookies with a wide spatula. Keep pan warm. Softly fold each cookie in half, wrapping paper fortunes inside and keep top of cookie on outside and pinch points together. Cool, 5 doz.

Before eating break in half and read fortune.)

When you are writing fortunes write good fortunes, nothing bad or sad.

Games
 The games you play are en-

Aerospace News

FIRST SUPERSONIC FLIGHT

By Walter B. Hendrickson, Jr.

Part 2: XS-1 Arrives
 The XS-1 arrived at Muroc AFB, California, (now called Edwards AFB) late in October 1946. It made its first rocket-powered test flight there on December 9, 1946, with Bell Aircraft test pilot Chalmers (Slick) Goodin at the controls. This was not a try for supersonic speeds but a test to prove the flight capabilities of the XS-1.

In July 1947, the Bell Aircraft test pilots finished demonstrating the XS-1 and turned it over to the Air Force.

Captain Charles E. Yeager took the XS-1 up to make a try at breaking the speed of sound. The XS-1 did reach a supersonic speed of 967 miles per hour. The XS-1 was designed for speeds of 1,700 mph but

trouble with the fuel pump kept its speed down.

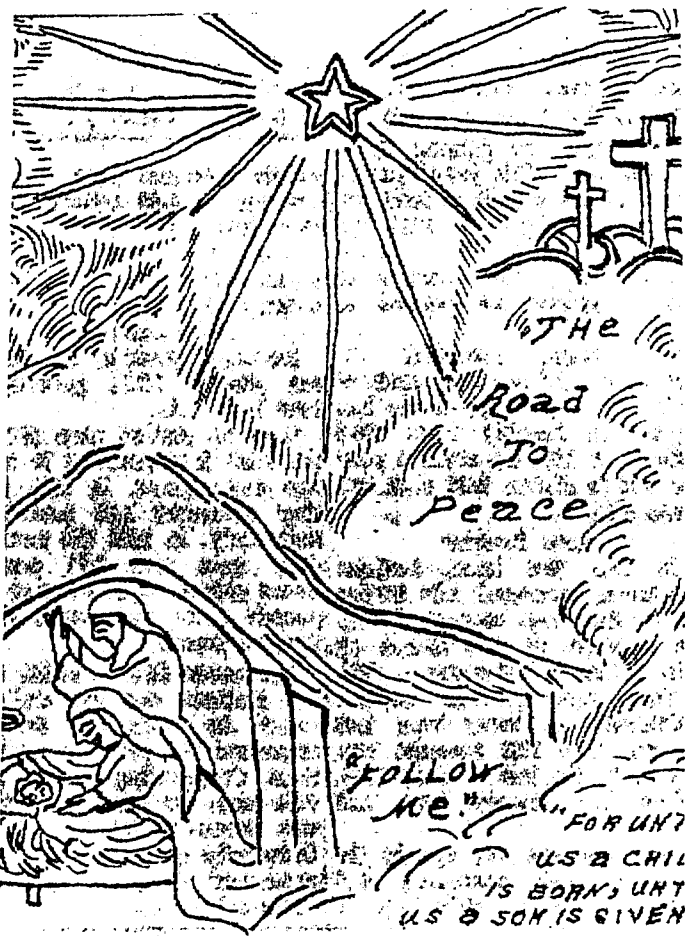
On the two later versions of the XS-1, called simply X-1s, the faulty pumps were replaced by a compressed nitrogen system to push the fuels into the engine.

Captain Yeager named the XS-1 "Glamorous Glennis," after his wife Glennis. In 1949 he piloted the XS-1 to a record altitude of 73,000 feet. After this flight the XS-1 was put on display in the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, D.C.

Prayer Poem

Bethlehem To Cavalry

By Mary Pence Claywell



"SHALL BE UPON HIS SHOULDER, AND HIS NAME SHALL BE CALLED WONDERFUL, COUNSELLOR, THE MIGHTY GOD, THE EVERLASTING FATHER, HE PRINCE OF PEACE." - ISAIAH IX-6

Almost two thousand years ago, in a little Land across the Sea . . . It came to pass that everyone, was taxed by Caesar's strong decree:

And people came from far and near, unto the City to be taxed . . . The poor, the humble, and the rich . . . So ill at ease . . . and unrelaxed:

And up from Galilee there came, a man named "Joseph," very poor . . . And with him, "Mary," his espoused . . . to be taxed with the thousands more; and Joseph walked beside the beast, that carried Mary, meek and mild . . . so tired and weary, from the trip, for she was very great . . . with Child:

No Room
 The Holy City, bright and gay, was revelling in a sea of sin, and the wayside Inn, already packed, indeed could find . . . no place for them:

So on they journeyed without pause, unto the Village Bethlehem, which lacked the Christ City's glow . . . and seemingly, its vice and sin:

But still no lodging could be found, and they, so weary and forlorn, were forced to seek a stable shed . . . where CHRIST THE LORD . . . that Night was born:

There was no crib to lay Him in, no padded blankets, rich and rare, so Mary found a "Manger Bed," and gently laid The Christ Child there; and though it was a lowly place, in swaddling clothes, she wrapped The Babe, while lowing cattle stood around.

The Humble Manager, where He lay:
 The shepherds, and their guarded flocks . . . perhaps were all there that Night, that fit The Poet's Song of . . . "All was calm, and all was bright!"

The men were chilly as they watched, and drowsy as they slept . . . Yet some among them, quietly prayed . . . that their MESSIAH . . . soon, would come:

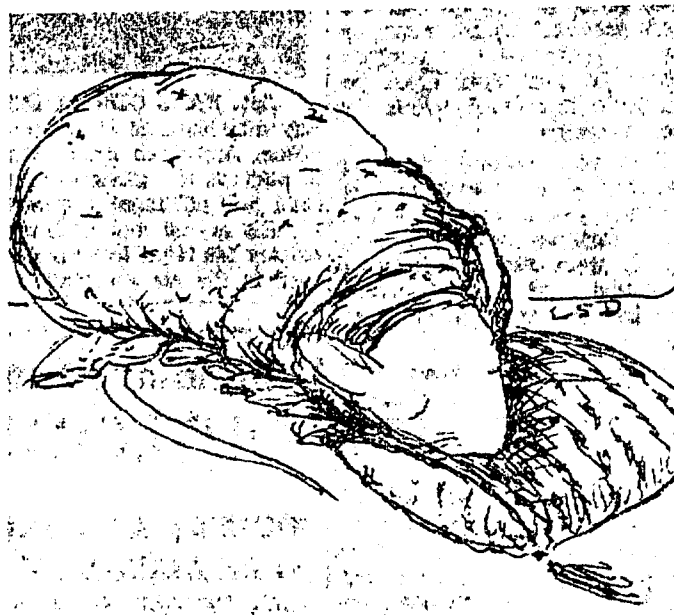
Christmas Star
 Then suddenly across the sky there blazed a LIGHT, more bright than sun . . . And there within, an Angel stood, and broke The News . . . That HE HAD COME!

"FEAR NOT," the Angel said to them . . . the shepherds listened in accord . . . "FOR UNTO YOU IS BORN THIS DAY, A SAVIOUR, WHICH IS CHRIST THE LORD!"

"In David's City, Bethle-

Waiting For Santa

By Mrs. Otto Dorr



Rip, Rap, and Sissy crept between dark timbers toward a loose piece of flooring.

"Stop and listen," Sissy Mouse cautioned, "we cannot squeeze back in a hurry."

Rip pushed his nose through the light opening and sniffed. "No cats," he reported.

Rap peeked, "No grown-ups either," he called over his shoulder and the three, wiggling through, scampered on toward the hearth where three red socks hung from the mantle. Nearby stood Christmas packages waiting to be opened the next morning.

About and over them Rip and Rap explored.

"This one smells good. Can't we nip a tiny hole in the corner?" Rip asked.

"We must hurry to fix things for Rap," Sissy reminded him. "He wants to wait here to call us when Santa gets to the roof. Rap won't be in our warm nest."

We must find a blanket for him.

"And a little pillow too," Rap added, "This floor will be hard and cold."

Sissy looked across at the pretty doll house beside the fireplace. "We must not touch anything there," she warned. "It is all new for Christmas Day, look in the sewing basket. Rip and rap climbed over its stiff sides among the spoils.

"Here is a nice pin cushion!" "I don't want THAT!" Rap squeaked. "Pins and needles! No!"

"But see here, the old doll coverlet! That will be nice," and he pulled it out on the floor. Rip pushed under the scissors. There a small faded pillow lay, though one corner tassel was gone it was of soft velvet. Rap pulled it over next to the wall and put his head down.

"Now cover me up please." (To Be Continued)

Let's Go Birding

Little Downy

By Emma Mae Leonhard



National Audubon Society from painting by D. Eckelberry

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Each year the National Audubon Society chooses some bird to feature on its Christmas card. This year of 1966 the Downy Woodpecker has been given the honor, and it looks and speaks the very spirit of Christmas.

In the picture a pair of Downy Woodpeckers are braced stiffly on the trunk of a tree which carries the subtle winter shades of white, gray, and brown on its smooth bark. At the lower edge of the scene is a horizontal arrangement of the bronze-glossed mahogany heads of sumach and the open pods from which the white-winged seeds of the milkweed have escaped. All of these are held in an open net of large and small fluffy snow-flakes. Here we have winter, the time of Christmas, in all its white, gray, and brown tints.

Mr. Downy, as well as Mrs. Downy, is wearing a clean white coat; the sleeves over his wings are checkered and spotted in black and white. The hood, attached to his coat, is black, with two white stripes circling the top; warm white ear-muffs are appliqued on either side.

Small Red Patch
 Mrs. Downy is clothed entirely in modest black and white; Mr. Downy, on the other hand, flaunts a small red patch at the back of his head. Is he copying Santa Claus, or has he decorated his hood with some red ornament just for the love

of Christmas?
 Where has our Downy secured that interesting name? Let us look at its shiny bill. At its base are short, almost woolly white feathers, which conceal its nostrils. These down-like feathers give the bird its name and are a protection against frost, like Santa Claus's moustache and beard.

Downy's Message
 Mr. and Mrs. Downy look at us as if they were asking permission to speak, and we await their message: "We are a part of your world all the year round. We live in your shade trees and orchards; we visit your city parks and gardens. We don't sneak in; we announce ourselves with our run-together rattle of 'peent-peent-peent.' You see, we can't sing, but we can laugh."

"We are never hungry. Inside our beak and head we have a three-inch barbed tongue which we can thrust into a hole in a tree and with which we can spear a grub hidden there. If there is no hole, our chisel-beak can make one."

"We help you and ourselves too by eating scale insects and tussock-moth cocoons. When fall and winter come, we clean corn-stalks and dead weed canes of borers and gall insects. And time and again we rattle our 'thank-you's' with our 'pick' as we fly to the suet feeder which you hang out for us. Since we can dig out hidden insects in

FORGETFUL ELVES

One foggy, windy Thursday morning it was Santa's worst day. He was just ready to go on his journey to deliver all the gifts.

He started off and about three miles away he saw he had no light and no gifts. He thought the elves forgot to make any. There was still a little part of the moon left. He started to think, "Christmas is not today. How sick I must be."

When he got home he went right to bed. He only got an hour's sleep.

The first thing he did was to go to all the elves' homes and get them working right away. It wasn't very long before they were finished but they didn't wrap the presents. Santa never noticed it.

Now to get the light. Next he found the reindeer. Away they flew all through the air, but when he looked back at the presents how awful he felt. He remembered where there was some wrapping paper.

He finally got them all fixed up. It seemed like they were dropping bombs when they dropped the presents in the chimneys. That was the most fun he had in history.

Clifford White
 Franklin School

SANTA'S COPTER

One Friday at 1:30 I saw Santa Claus coming in a helicopter to Jacksonville. He got out of it and went into his house.

He handed out candy to all the children and while they were talking, they were on the radio.

In Santa's house there is music and beside Santa's tree there is a big Christmas tree with pretty lights. All around the square there are pretty Christmas lights. Christmas time is the best time of year.

Bobby Mullens
 Franklin School

CHRISTMAS EVE

One Christmas Eve I was sleeping and suddenly I woke up. I heard a noise. It was something coming down the chimney. I pretended to be asleep. It was Santa. He filled my stocking and then he wrapped my presents. Then he nodded his head and up the chimney he rose.

I finally went back to sleep.
 Ronnie Flowers
 Franklin School

CHRISTMAS JOYS

I like Christmas. I like toys and candy.

For Christmas, I want a bike, a girl's bike. I want a new hair-do.

I leave cookies and a glass of milk because Santa Claus eats my home made cookies. In the morning they are gone because my mom eats my cookies.

I like the reindeer.
 Bobbette Rose
 Franklin School

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY

Christmas is a holiday. Christmas is when Santa comes. He brings toys to me with candy too.

With candy canes on the green tree and popcorn too. When I wake up there are toys for Tonya and Nannette. Then we go to Mom and Dad and say, "Look what I got!"
 Nannette Kehoe
 Franklin School

CHRISTMAS DAY

On Christmas, my family and I get up and open presents. Last Christmas I got a motor car. I played with my car until 12:30.

For lunch my mother made pumpkin pie and turkey. It was good. Then I went outside and played.

Jeff Trumbo
 Franklin School

CHRISTMAS GIFTS

I want a Sting Ray bike for Christmas and a Red River gun. I will pass out the presents. We will open our present when we get back home from our trip to Iowa.

Neil Conner
 Franklin School

In the winter, we don't have to leave you—and we don't want to.

"And with that same little beak we excavate holes during the fall where we snugly sleep away the long winter nights."

With their speech ended, Mr. and Mrs. Downy buoyantly looped across an open space to another tree, chattering back to us, "A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!"

The Women's Page



Mrs. Frederick W. Lakamp

Betty Suttles, Fritz Lakamp Nuptials Dec. 17

CHAPIN — Miss Betty Jo Suttles of White Hall and Frederick W. (Fritz) Lakamp of Chapin were united in marriage during a home ceremony Saturday afternoon, December seventeenth at the Robert S. Smith home in the Chapin area.

Poinsettias, ferns and branched candelabra formed the setting for the service performed by the Reverend Don Kroll.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Suttles of White Hall and the groom is the son of F. W. Lakamp of Chapin and the late Mr. Lakamp.

Miss Linda James and Robert S. Smith attended the couple. The bride wore a white suit with a silver brocade shell. Brocade trim was used on the lapels of the box jacket. Her bow headdress was brocade with a silver veil and her slippers were also in silver. She carried a Bible overlaid with white roses and holly.

Miss James wore a conventional length dress of pink wool on princess lines and carried a colonial bouquet of white carnations and pink roses.

The mother of the bride wore a navy knit suit with white lace

detail. Her accessories were in navy and her flowers were white carnations.

A reception was held in the afternoon at the F. W. Lakamp home in Chapin. Assisting were Becky and Barbara Suttles, sisters of the bride; Mrs. Judy Hoosman, Mrs. Roger Hurrebrink, Mrs. Charles Marshall, Miss Phyllis Allen, Betty and Barbara Dufelmeier, nieces of the groom, Jan Smith, Beverly Beckman and Mrs. Flora Frickie.

Following a wedding trip the couple took up residence at 720 Superior street in Chapin.

The bride graduated in 1964 from North Greene High School, attended Southern Illinois University and until her marriage was employed at the Rose Oil Products Company in White Hall. The groom graduated from Chapin High School in 1963, served in the Army two years and is now engaged in farming with his father.

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Pamela Williams

ALEXANDER—Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Williams of Alexander announce the engagement of their daughter, Pamela, to Thomas L. Wilson, Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. T. L. Wilson of Jacksonville. No date has been set for the wedding.

Miss Williams is a 1965 graduate of Ashland High School and is majoring in European history at Illinois College where she is a member of the honorary forensics fraternity Pi Kappa Delta and the Hilltop Players.

Mr. Wilson is a 1964 graduate of Jacksonville High School and attends Illinois College where he is majoring in biology.



Mr. and Mrs. Lester Joe Harrell

Joe Harrell And Bride Are Living At Palatine, Ill.

November newlyweds Mr. and Mrs. Lester Joe Harrell are making their home at 344 North Smith street in Palatine, Illinois. She is the former Miss Beverly Ann Thygeson of Rolling Meadows, Illinois. They were married December 12th at St. Philip's Episcopal church with the Reverend Sheldon B. Foote officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Aaron Thygeson and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Harrell, 206 Dewey Drive, Jacksonville.

Music during the prelude was provided by John Danielson at the organ. White glads and mums were used at the altar.

Mrs. Merle T. Thygeson, sister-in-law of the bride, was matron of honor. Miss Mary Belter, Chicago and Miss Pat Gill, Crystal Lake were bridesmaids and Miss Karen Young, Rolling Meadows, a cousin of the bride, was junior bridesmaid.

William L. Duncker, Palatine, was best man. Groomsmen were James Heath, Hoffman Estates and Merle T. Thygeson and ushers, William Lamm, Palatine; John Bostic, DesPlaines and Clifford Provo, Geneva.

The bride wore a gown of white organza over taffeta base with re-embroidered lace studied with pearls and crystals. Her chapel veil fell from a double crown of lace with jewel trim. She carried a cascade of white roses with a white orchid.

The attendants were gownned alike in cascade of plum asters with the honor attendant having a purple orchid with

her flowers. The mother of the bride wore aqua shantung and lace with matching color accessories. The groom's mother was in plum wool with corresponding accessories. Each wore a cymbidium orchid.

The reception was held in the Golden Platter Room in Chicago with a dinner and dancing. The couple spent their honeymoon in California.

The bride is employed by United Airlines. The groom, a graduate of Illinois College at Chicago, is teaching at Palatine.

Guests attended from Jacksonville, Winchester, Aurora, Chicago and the State of Indiana.

Linda Scott Of Franklin To Be Married Dec. 30

FRANKLIN — Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. Scott have announced the approaching marriage of their daughter, Linda Lu, to James L. Rhodes of Kansas, Ill. The wedding will take place at 6:30 p.m. Friday, Dec. 30 at the Franklin Methodist Church. Friends are welcome to attend.

Franklin Notes

Joe Laugharn, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lawrence Laugharn, and an employee of Ozark Air Lines in Iowa City for the past seven years was transferred to Chicago where he will be senior agent in charge of operations. His wife Jan and children, Joni and Joel, will join him there shortly.

Bill Morton, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Morton of Springfield formerly of Franklin, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Morton of Franklin, was chosen student of the week. Each week one student is chosen from one of the six Springfield high schools and at the end of the school year the radio station and Marine State Bank awards a scholarship to one of those selected. Bill is captain and only letterman on Lanphier's Varsity wrestling team. A member of the varsity football team, he received a letter at the athletic banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hayes of Chicago spent last weekend as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Eubrey. Guests for supper last Sunday evening were their son, Mr. and Mrs. Carl R. Roberts and John Jr. Patricia and friend John Nelson of Arizona and on Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. John Shumaker of Alexander called.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Clauser of Delavan were weekend guests of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Calhoun and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Whitlock and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Austiff received word of the birth of a daughter, Molly Sue, to their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Austiff of Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Hocking became parents of a son. Grandparents are Mrs. Mary Hocking and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Seymour.

The puya, world's tallest herb, grows in abundance in the Bolivian highlands. It attains a height of 30 feet.

Volunteer Workers At Passavant This Week

Monday, Dec. 26

Gift Shoppe: Miss Ruby Mann, Mrs. William Chipman
Hostesses: Mrs. Edna Osborne, Mrs. John Pine
Solarium: Mrs. Hanna McKleroy
Mail Service: Mrs. T. K. Jones

Tuesday, Dec. 27

Gift Shoppe: Mrs. Gail Gilbert, Mrs. Ralph Woods, Mrs. Adam Ehrhott
Hostesses: Mrs. Merle Helliwell, Mrs. Ben Roodhouse
Solarium: Miss Emma Mae Leonhard
Mail Service: Mrs. Charles Gibson

Wednesday, Dec. 28

Gift Shoppe: Miss Ruby Mann, Mrs. Frank Coble, Mrs. Leland Verries
Hostesses: Mrs. Paul Garrison, Mrs. Richard Mann, Mrs. Herman Lien
Solarium: Mrs. Orval Legate, Mrs. George Hardesty
Cart Workers: Mrs. J. E. Fountain, Mrs. Omar Melton
Mail Service: Mrs. Robert Hemphill

Thursday, Dec. 29

Gift Shoppe: Mrs. Paul Mag-

ner, Mrs. Harold Swain, Pilot Club

Hostesses: Miss Edna Osborne, Mrs. John Pine
Solarium: Mrs. Hanna McKleroy
Mail Service: Mrs. T. K. Jones

Friday, Dec. 30

Gift Shoppe: Mrs. Earl Myers, Mrs. C. J. Doyel, Pilot Club
Hostesses: Mrs. Edward Werries, Mrs. F. O. Elliott
Solarium: Mrs. Willard Cody
Mail Service: Miss Ann Bellatti

Saturday, Dec. 31

Gift Shoppe: Mrs. Clifton Davis, Mrs. Leland Verries, Mrs. Margaret Fernow
Hostess: Mrs. Charles Wilson
Solarium: None
Sunday, Jan. 1

Gift Shoppe: Hoffaker & Baldwin

A VERY HAPPY and PROSPEROUS 1967 TO ALL PASSAVANT VOLUNTEERS

Former Area Resident Is Guest At Shower

NORTONVILLE — Mrs. Mary Wells Kramer was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower given in her honor Dec. 19 at the Nortonville hall. Hostesses for the event were Mrs. Lowell Wells, Mrs. Herbert Clayton, Mrs. Edwin Clayton and Mrs. Roy Kelly.

The honoree, a former Nortonville resident, now lives in Hoffman Estates, near Chicago. Present were Mrs. Hattie Smith, Mrs. Vella Rees, Mrs. Lionel Seymour, Mrs. Billy Oris and Julie, Mrs. Van Seymour, Mrs. Clyde Oxley, Mrs. Loyd Sorrells, Mrs. Fletcher Seymour, Mrs. Harold McDevitt, Mrs. Wilfred Clayton, Mrs. Russell Osborne, Mrs. Virgil Vedder Sr., Mrs. P. O. Francis, Mrs. Juanita Hinson, Mrs. Norris Bracwell, Mrs. Mervin Kerner, Dawn and Todd Clayton.

Unable to attend were Mrs. Dale Blimling, Mrs. Albert Killebrew, Mrs. Carl Roach, Mrs. Rosa Medlock, Mrs. Gary Alexander, Mrs. Edgar Oxley, Mrs. Harvey Crow, Miss Florence McLaughlin, Mrs. Ruel Carpenter, Mrs. Claude Bolton and Helen, Mrs. Keith Bolton, Mrs. Monroe Chaudoin, Mrs. Louis Foster, Mrs. Melvin Koehler, Mrs. Everett Starnes, Mrs. Bill Rees, Mrs. Mary Claussen, Mrs. Hugh Barnett.

Games were played and prizes awarded. Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

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Bill Wade, M. Photog. ASP, offers a complimentary Brownstone Portrait to the couple observing the oldest wedding anniversary (10 years or more) on each day of the year. Watch this ad every Sunday for people celebrating anniversaries.

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Beta Sigma Phi Chapters

Mrs. Alpha Qui, president of Xi Lambda chapter of Beta Sigma Phi entertained members in her home on Mound Road, Dec. 19th. The home was festive for the season with a beautiful tree and many additional holiday arrangements.

Following a short business meeting the thought for the month was presented by Alvah Lee McCarthy. Each member participated in the program telling of her most unusual Christmas and her plans for the holiday season. Eva Daniel received the prize for the most unusual Christmas gift.

Guests were seated in the dining room for the social hour. Table appointments were in gold and green with tapers and flowers used throughout. Each member received a gift from the president and dainty refreshments were served.

From the tree Santa conducted a gift exchange with a special gift to the president. Mrs. Lecie Crawford of Florida and Mrs. Grace Davenport treated members with a special gift.

The University of Illinois introduced business English to the world as a college subject in 1902.



Mr. and Mrs. William S. Hoffman

Sue Strang Of Murrayville Bride Of Nashville Man

MURRAYVILLE — Miss Sue Strang of Murrayville and William S. Hoffman of Nashville.

Aggert Couple Of Ashland To Have Anniversary

ASHLAND — Mr. and Mrs. Robert Aggert of Ashland will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary Wednesday, Dec. 28th.

Mrs. Aggert is the former Betty Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Brown of Pleasant Plains. Mr. and Mrs. Aggert have a son, Private First Class James Robert Aggert, serving with the Marines and stationed at Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.

Mr. Aggert is employed by Sangamo Electric Company in Springfield.

BENEFICIAL BEAUTY MASK

If your skin resembles an oil gusher, it will benefit greatly from a once-a-week beauty mask. Work up a good lather with castile baby soap and allow it to dry on the face. Baby soap is gentle enough for a drying action without irritating the skin, and the hexachlorophene in it fights the bacteria that cause the blemishes that plague most young people. Be sure to rinse off the mask, and finish with cold water or witch hazel.

Illinois were united in marriage during a candlelight ceremony Saturday evening, December tenth, at the Murrayville Methodist church.

The Reverend Owen Candler performed the double ring ceremony. Tapers at the altar were lighted by Bobby and Mike Bayless of Springfield, cousins of the bride. White poinsettias and palms were used at the church altar for the early holiday nuptials. Mrs. William Gibson presided at the organ.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice M. Strang of Murrayville and the groom is the son of Mrs. Kathryn Hoffman of Nashville, Illinois and the late William S. Hoffman.

Miss Sally Strang was her sister's maid of honor. Miss Ann Kay Hoffman of Nashville, sister of the groom and Miss Sandra Crain of Jacksonville, were the bridesmaids.

Johnny Bayless, another cousin of the bride, was ring bearer. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bayless, Springfield, are parents of the Bayless children.

Sylvester (Buck) Stiegman of Nashville was best man. Oscar Finke and Marvin Schlichter, both of Nashville, were groomsmen. Ushers were Robert Voelkel and Rockford Stiegman, both of Nashville.

Mr. Strang gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a full length wedding gown of white strada peau with a detachable train. Her illusion veil fell from a beaded crown headdress and she carried a bouquet of red and white roses. Her jewel accessory was a necklace which

had been worn by her mother at her wedding.

The bride's attendants were gownned alike in red velvet with matching headdresses. Each carried a bouquet of white roses. The little flower girl, Ann Bayless, also a cousin of the bride, wore red velvet fashioned identical to the bride's attendants' gowns.

Mrs. Strang chose for her daughter's wedding an aqua blue knit ensemble with contrasting accessories. Her flowers were red roses. Mrs. Hoffman wore moss green, also a knit costume, with corresponding accessories and her flowers were pink roses.

A reception was held at the Triple Flame in Jacksonville. Assisting were Miss Kathy Wright, Miss Mary Andras, Miss Mary Elaine Langdon, Miss Joyce White, Miss Priscilla Grimsley, Miss Cheryl Matijevich and the Misses Carol and Karen Strang.

The newlyweds are making their home in Granite City, Illinois. The bride graduated in 1964 from Jacksonville High School, attended Millikin University one year and then graduated in November of this year from Patricia Stevens College in St. Louis, Missouri. The groom is a 1961 graduate of the Nashville High School and the Centralia Junior College. He is employed by the National Drayway Association.

The rehearsal dinner served the Friday night before the wedding was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Earl A. Davis of Jacksonville, uncle and aunt of the bride.

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FINED IN USSR — LENINGRAD, USSR — Craddock Gilmour (R), shown with his father standing in front of St. Isaac's Cathedral while sight-seeing here Monday, was let off with a fine by a Soviet court here Wednesday on charges of currency violation. His American companion, Buel Ray Wortham, received a maximum three-year sentence for stealing a \$300 statue and currency black-marketing that netted him \$30. Gilmour may have to remain in Russia as a witness.

(UPI Cablephoto)



MRS. JOHN F. KENNEDY smiles as she leaves the Broadhurst Theater Monday after attending the show, "Cabaret." (UPI Telephoto)

Baptist Golden Age Group Meets At Local Home

The Golden Age Group of Senior Citizens, sponsored by First Baptist church, met Dec. 14th, at the Illinois Christian Home. A potluck luncheon was served at noon followed by the business session.

The same officers will serve next year, Claude Lewis, chairman; Rex Shaw, vice chairman; Mrs. Algertie Dowland, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. J. W. Patterson and Edgar Busey, program chairmen. Mrs. Claude Lewis is the refreshment chairman and Mrs. Howard Curtis the courtesy chairman.

Rev. John Henschke led in singing of carols; Miss Edith Scribner read scripture and Rev. J. W. Johnson Our Church and Christmas. Mrs. Patterson read How the Great Guest

Came. A skit, A skit, Christmas is for Me, was given by Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Busey, Howard Curtis and Margaret Patterson.

A gift exchange was enjoyed and a tour of the Home conducted by the administrator, Harold Busey.

Attending were Rev. and Mrs. John Henschke and Connie, Rev. and Mrs. Harold Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Ves Reaves, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dumas, Miss Marie Busey.

Miss Elizabeth Long, Miss Edith Scribner, Mrs. Algertie Dowland, Mrs. Roy Crum, Mrs. Nina Shawen, Mrs. Zella White, Mrs. Elsie Bunchanan, Mrs. Nelle Meyer.

Mrs. Martha Miller, Mrs. Ruth Hawk, Mrs. Anna Magill, Mrs. Grace Osborne, Mrs. Perry Canatsey, Rex Shaw, Rev. Fred Webber, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Curtis.

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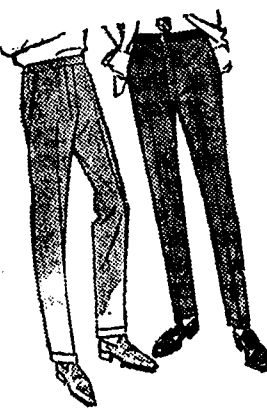
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Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Buchanan

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Buchanan of Jacksonville route three observed their golden wedding anniversary Tuesday, December 20th. They have spent their entire married life in Morgan county engaged in farming.

Mrs. Buchanan is the former Dorothy Den- is. Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan are parents of eight

children, Harold at home; Ray, Tucson, Arizona; Byron, Wayne and Leroy of Jacksonville; Paul, Fairbanks, Alaska; Mrs. Opal Fortner, Chillicothe, Illinois and Mrs. Betty Teague, Jacksonville, Florida.

The couple has 17 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Weddings PARTIES and CLUBS

Sue Hawkins Is Bride Friday In Silvis Church

The daughter of a former local couple was married Friday evening, December twenty-third, in the First Baptist Church at Silvis, Illinois. The bride is Miss Sue Hawkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hawkins of East Moline and the groom, Harry Alan Nitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Nitz of Port Byron, Illinois.

Mrs. Hawkins is the former Maxine Garman of Jacksonville, daughter of Mrs. Olga Garman, who now resides in Woodson. Mr. Hawkins is the son of Lester Hawkins of Manchester.

The bride's sister, Mrs. David Calvert was matron of honor. Mrs. Charles Hurgart was bridesmaid, Miss Sheryl Hawkins, cousin of the bride, the bridesmaid, and Miss Donna Hawkins, another sister of the bride, was junior attendant.

Charles Calvert, nephew of the bride was ringbearer and Beth Ann Hurgart was flower girl. Ushers were Delbert Searl and James Stratton.

Daniel Nitz attended his brother as best man. Groomsmen were Charles Hurgart, Dale Nitz, another brother of the groom and Craig Hawkins, brother of the bride.

The bride is a graduate of the Riverdale High School, Port Byron and is employed by Illinois Optical Co. in Moline. Her husband graduated from the same high school, attended Coe College in Cedar Rapids and is serving with the Air Force. He leaves Christmas Day for the East Coast headed for duty in Germany where his bride will join him in two months.

BIRTHDAY CLUB MEETS IN CAB

CHANDLERVILLE — The Sangamon Valley Birthday club held a Christmas party recently at the home of Mrs. William Dadds.

Present were A. L. Johnson, Mrs. Paul Abbott, Mrs. Tilden Lynn, Mrs. Richard Taylor, Mrs. Virgil Beard, Mrs. Fred Kirchner, Mrs. Richard Kirchner.

Mrs. Ralph Henry, Mrs. Erle Briar, Mrs. James Merwin Sr., Mrs. James Merwin Jr., Mrs. Earl Taylor, Mrs. Glenn Salzman, Mrs. Jerry Wessel, Mrs. Wilson Siltman and Miss Myrtis Wing.



Mrs. Harry Alan Nitz

ARGENTINE GIRL VISITS PARENTS AT MT. STERLING

MT. STERLING — Miss Mary Carolyn Turner of Buenos Aires, Argentina has arrived at her home in Mt. Sterling to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Turner.

Miss Turner will spend the holidays here. Her parents met her at the Lambert Field Airport in St. Louis.

Clarence Langdon, formerly of here, is visiting friends in the area prior to leaving for military service.

Fred A. Elbus of Mt. Sterling is a medical patient in St. Mary's hospital in Quincy.

Edwin Bauch of Hersman is a patient in Schmitt hospital in Beardstown.

Leo Gibson has returned to his home here after being confined in Culbertson hospital in Rushville.

UNMATCHED TOWERS

Famous Chartres Cathedral has two towers topped by totaly dissimilar spires. The cathedral was built during a surge of religious fervor in the 12th and early 13th centuries. One tower is Romanesque and the other Gothic.

Judith Ann Smith, Thos. S. Paul Wed At Concord Church

CONCORD — The Reverend Ernest Francis performed the ceremony Sunday afternoon, December eleventh, at the Concord Methodist church which united in marriage Miss Judith Ann Smith of Concord and Thomas Stephen Paul of Chapin.

Bill Meier of Bethel, friend of the couple, was soloist and Mrs. Verlyia Williams of Concord was the accompanist.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kelly of Concord and the late Charles E. Smith. The groom is the son of Mrs. Dorothy Paul of Chapin and Frank Paul of Arenzville.

Miss Sandra Moss of Concord, former classmate of the bride, was her only attendant. Bruce Zulauf of Concord was best man. Jerry Smith, brother of the bride and Dane Paul, brother of the groom seated guests.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Larry D. Smith of Concord, was lovely in a gown of white satin with Alencon lace fashioned on Empire lines. Her Wateau train was caught at the shoulderline and was adorned with lace medallions. A beaded



Mrs. Thomas Stephen Paul

pearl crown held her veil of illusion and she carried a bouquet of white carnations with red velvet streamers.

Miss Moss wore a floor length red velvet gown, styled much like the gown worn by the bride. Her headdress matched her gown and she carried a nosegay of red tipped white carnations.

The mother of the bride wore forest green velvet with black accessories and the groom's mother was in blue brocade with black accessories. Each wore a corsage of white carnations.

Assisting at the reception held at the church were Charlene and

Marilyn Smith, sisters-in-law of the bride; Patty Cooper, Nita Kelly, Donna Moss and Phyllis Sherrin.

Both young people are graduates of Triopia High School. The bride is employed at the New Method Book Bindery in

Jacksonville and the groom at Floyds Gulf Service station in Chapin, where the newlyweds are making their home.

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Real Estate Transfers

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George W. Ashby, administrator, to Adelino R. Bentena, S 1/2 of 66 feet off east side of lot 7 in Madeira addition to Jacksonville.
Charles N. Wright to Charles R. Johnson, part NE 1/4, etc., 5-14-10.

Vera E. Lambert to Nelson B. Lambert, lots 38 and 45, Solter's second addition, Waverly.
Central Illinois District of the Lutheran Church to Otto A. Borchelt, part lots 24 and 25, D. A. Smith's Heirs subdivision of lots 33 to 41 College Hill addition, city.
Helen S. Reagel to County Board of School Trustees, School District 117, undivided 1/6 interest in part lot 18, Capps & Lambert's addition, city.
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Jack L. Cline to John W. Hackett, lot 32, Westlawn subdivision, South Jacksonville.
Keith W. Hagan to Walter L. Frye, lot 16, Wolcott addition, city.
Elza C. Perry to Elza C. Perry, et al., E 1/2 of lots 2, 3, 6, and 7 in block 17 in Aylesworth and Cobb's addition of Mercedosa.
Roy A. Cunningham to Joseph Paul Buster, lot 17 in Rimbey's addition of Murrayville.
Robert A. Sanders to Donald E. Bryan, lots 8 and 9 and part out lot 1, LaDue Acres, 29-14-10.
Donald S. Roehrs to James R. DeVore, lot 50, Westfair addition, city.
Frank Bourn Sr., to Wendell Petefish, part NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, part NE 1/4 of NW 1/4, 9-15-10.
Henry Clara Ring to Darrell E. Ring, SW 1/4 of NE 1/4, W 1/2 of SE 1/4, 10-16-9.
Emma Hubbard to David L. Cannon, lot 92, Car Shops Addition, city.
Earl W. and Kathryn M. Baxter to Dottie LaGassie, undivided 1/2 interest in NE corner lot 9, Duncan's NW addition, city.
Earl W. Baxter to Lester E. Hatton Jr., undivided 1/2 interest in same.
Edgar Miner to Opal Hayes, metes and bounds, lot 1, A. H. Wright's addition, Franklin.
Katherine T. Burch to Dean Jones, part lot 62, Solter's second addition, Waverly.

"Replace" Father in Navy



Two former Franklin youths joined the Naval Air Reserve to "replace" their father who retires from the Navy January 10th. They are (l to r) Donald W. and William T. Dodsworth, Jr. Captain William E. Carver, Commanding Officer of the Air Station gave the oath of allegiance to the two boys one month to the day before their father retires. Senior Chief Commissaryman William T. Dodsworth, Sr. of Marietta, formerly of Franklin, will have completed over 23 years active duty in January.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED FOR WEEK

Marriage licenses issued for the week from the county clerk's office were: John Charles Kane, 12 Edgehill Court, and Terry Ann Little of Mercedosa; William Lee Pigott to 1200 W. College and Teryl Cully Garrison, both 2 Pitner Place; Rodger Lee

Loveless of Palmyra and Phyllis June Battfeld of Mercedosa; Bill Ord of 505 Lincoln and Mildred Ord of 505 Lincoln; Richard Perry Stohl of Rockford and Constance Lee Mathews, 10 Book Lane; Jerry Lee Bieller and Helen Marie Whalen, both of Waverly.

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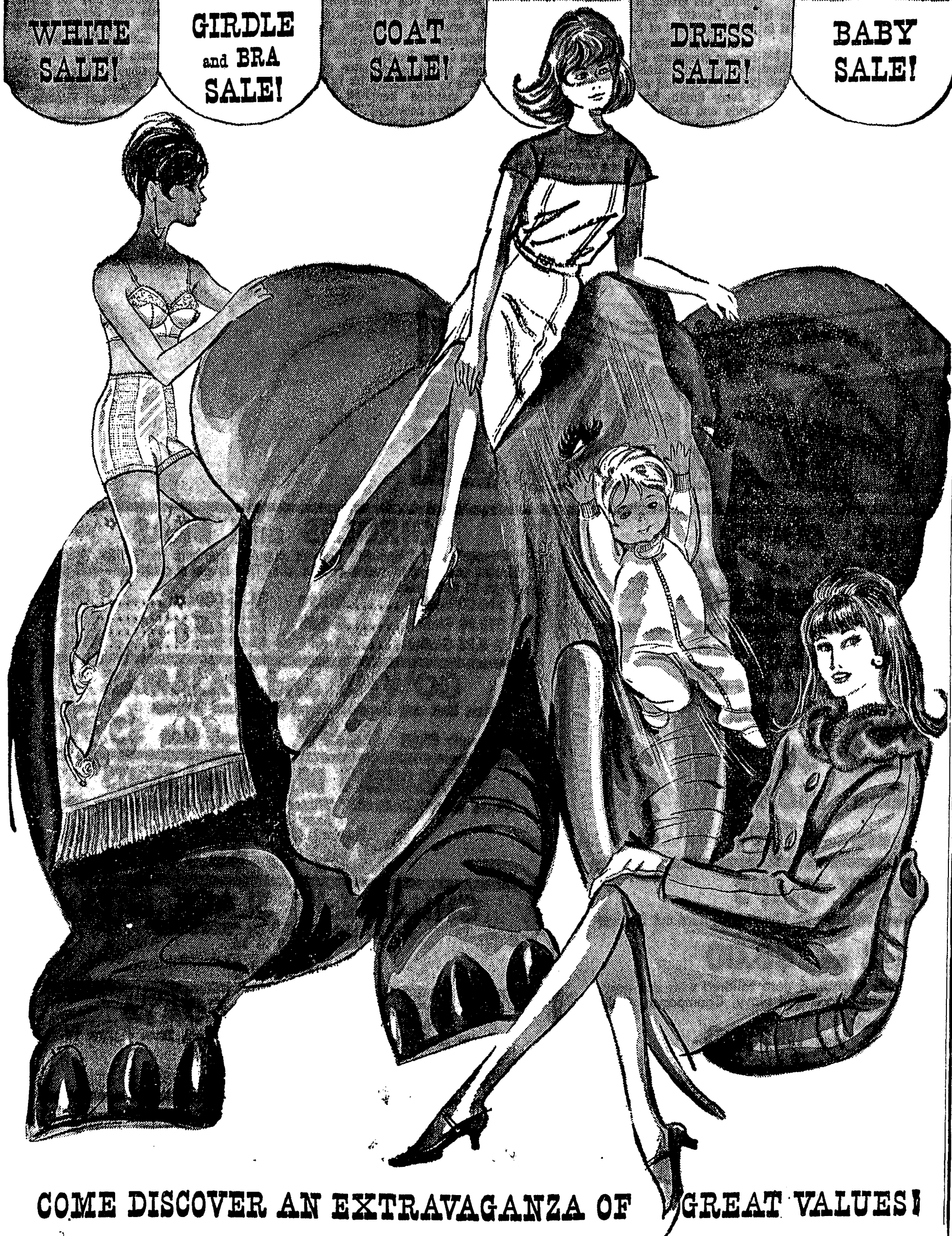
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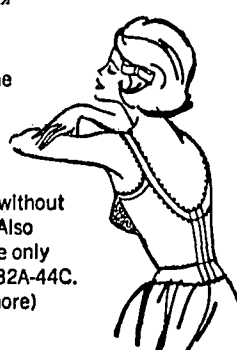
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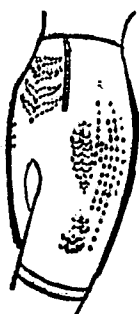
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HUMORS
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December, 1866

It is said some mothers have grown so affectionate, that they give their children chloroform previous to whipping them.

I made a box and filled it with mold. In the mold I planted some seed, and then placed the box in my window-sill, and what do you think came up? A policeman, and told me to take it down.

Gold is the only idol without a temple that is worshipped in all lands and by all sects without hypocrisy.

"Don't trouble yourself to stretch your mouth any wider," said a dentist to a man who was extending his jaws frightfully, "as I intend to stand outside of it to draw your tooth."

A certain way to keep eggs from spoiling? Eat them while they're fresh.

—Frank Leslie's Newspaper.

The Ruins
Of The Strawn Home

LAST SUNDAY'S STORY about the destruction by fire 50 years ago of the large brick residence on the Jacob Strawn homestead southwest of Jacksonville reminded Edward L. Robinson, 1529 Mound avenue, that his mother had taken a photograph of the ruins.

So he looked through an accumulation of old papers and pictures, found the photograph, and graciously brought it to the JOURNAL COURIER.

His mother was then Miss Ruth Leach, daughter of John W. Leach, whose farm was located about a mile west of the Strawn homestead. In 1918 she married Carl A. Robinson, Jacksonville attorney. Both are deceased.

News, Views
Century Ago

From the Jacksonville Sentinel:

CHRISTMAS — On Monday the weather turned cold, and the mud and slush which did plentifully abound on Saturday and Sunday, was speedily congealed by the sharp breath of returning winter. This satisfactory change in the weather was hailed with pleasure by all.

On Christmas Eve the different trading establishments, where the gifts of Santa Claus were to be obtained, drove a thriving business; merry crowds of passengers filled the sidewalks and general hilarity marked the advent of the merry season that "comes but once a year."

The supper and fair given at Strawn's Hall, by the ladies of the Congregational church, on Tuesday evening last, was a decided success.

The butcher establishments of Palmer & Leak, Ed Lambert, and the Messrs. Weigand, presented on Christmas Eve, an exhibition of butcher meat hard to beat. The beefs, mutton and fat porkers were tastefully adorned with evergreen, roses, etc., and presented a convincing illustration of the fatness of the land.

From the Beardstown Central

Illinolan:

T. H. Carter, Esq., has just returned from a tour of several weeks in the south, especially Texas. He says the confederate soldiers are many of them truly reconstructed, but that the fat old fellows are bitter secessionists yet. Throughout the south the crops have partially failed, and Mr. C. anticipates considerable distress. Many farms are covered with mortgages two and three deep, under such circumstances there must come a crash sooner or later.

The town of Normal is a suburb of the city of Bloomington, at the Junction of the Illinois Cent. R.R. and the C. A. and St. L. R. R. The inhabitants have signed a petition to the legislature to so arrange their charter as never to allow the sale of intoxicating liquors within its limits. No one person refused to sign it.

From the Carrollton Gazette: We are told that the receipts at the Sons of Temperance supper were about two hundred dollars.

Mr. Elon Eldred, two miles west of Carrollton, last week killed two hogs the combined weight of which was 1,200 pounds. The hogs were raised by him, and were fifteen months old. If any of our neighbors can beat this we should like to hear from them.

On Saturday last our town boys were interested by the excitement produced by two persons named Barnes and Strode — the whole performance ending by the combatants contributing some money to the town treasury by the advice of Justice Cooke.

DOMESTIC

December, 1866

Lewis Fox, the well known billiard player, has mysteriously disappeared.

A fight between some rowdy boys and negroes in the Seventh avenue, on the 18th of December, during which one of the negroes drew a knife and cut the throat of one of the boys and seriously damaged the others.

Frederick Douglass, the colored lecturer, delivered a discourse in the Odd Fellows' Hall, Hoboken, last week.

Skating has commenced in all its fury. Oatman's Rink opened on the 17th of December, and all the lakes in Brooklyn and Hoboken are well attended.

A petrified human hand has been lately found in red sandstone at Memphis, Tenn., in a perfect state of preservation.

"St. Elmo" Miss Augusta Evan's new story, will be published simultaneously in New York and London.

Bayard Taylor had the temerity to tell his fellow citizens a little truth in a lecture he delivered on the 17th of December at the Twenty-First Street Dutch Reformed Church, remarking "when we make Aldermen of thieves and Congressmen of prize-fighters, we lower the general moral standard."

A most brutal dog-fight took place in Philadelphia on Monday last. One of the dogs falling dead finished the revolting sport. Mr. Bergh should organize a branch of his Humane association in the City of Brotherly Love.

—Frank Leslie's Newspaper.

FOREIGN

December, 1866

The French flag was run down from the tower of St. Angelo on the 11th inst., and was replaced by the Papal flag.

The London Times complains that the loyal Irishmen do not come forward to assist in the frowning down of Fenianism, but leave all for the Government to do.

Ships are fitting out in Toulon to bring the French troops from Mexico.

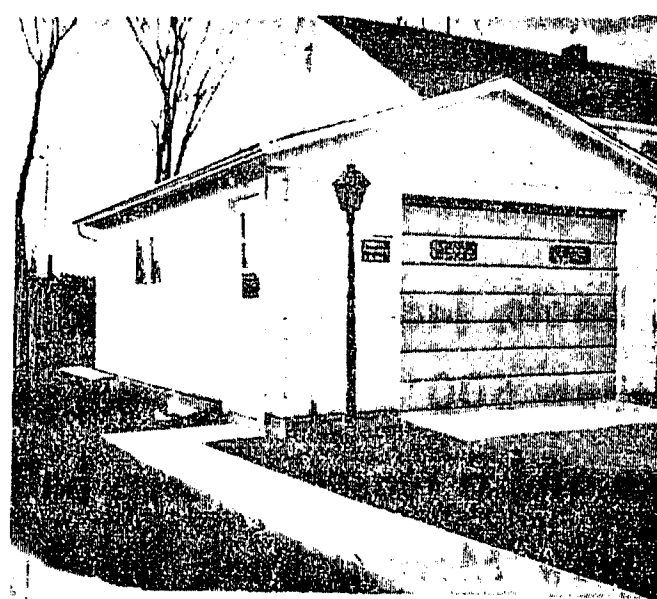
The newest Yankee notion, according to the English papers, is an umbrella with a gutter round the edge, and a spout at one corner.

Russia is the first in the field with her contributions to the Paris Exposition. They have arrived at Dunkirk.

John H. Surratt was informed against in Rome by a French Canadian named St. Marie, who, it is said, was actuated by jealousy, arising from disappointed love. This man alleges that Surratt told him that the assassination of President Lincoln was the result of a plot arranged by the Jeff. Davis cabinet at Richmond, and that he (Surratt) carried the orders for its execution thence to Washington.

—Harper's Weekly

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The Goodwill Tree bears sweaters, boots, jackets, socks and mittens — an unusual and wonderful harvest shared this Christmas morning by more than 500 deserving youngsters in our area. They awakened to find gifts of new, warm clothing under their tree and a reason to keep believing in Santa Claus and in the miracle of Christmas. As a special treat this year, New Method Book Bindery, Inc. contributed 300 new books which were distributed in the Goodwill Tree packages. To each of you who helped gladden the heart of a child with your generous gift to the Goodwill Tree, may we add our thanks. And a Merry Christmas to all as we renew our prayer for peace on earth, goodwill towards men.

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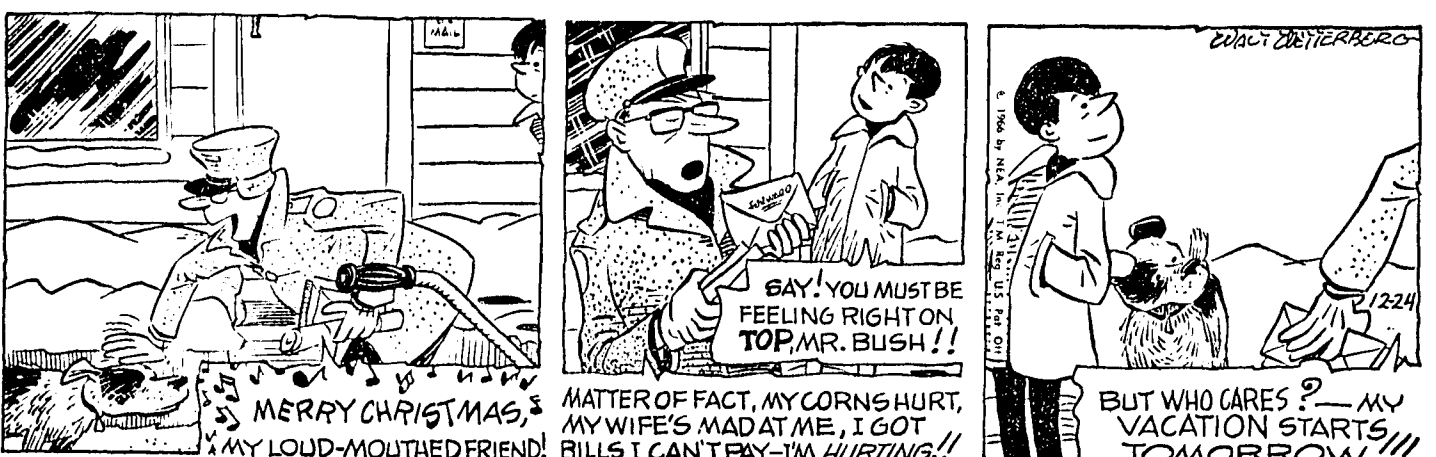
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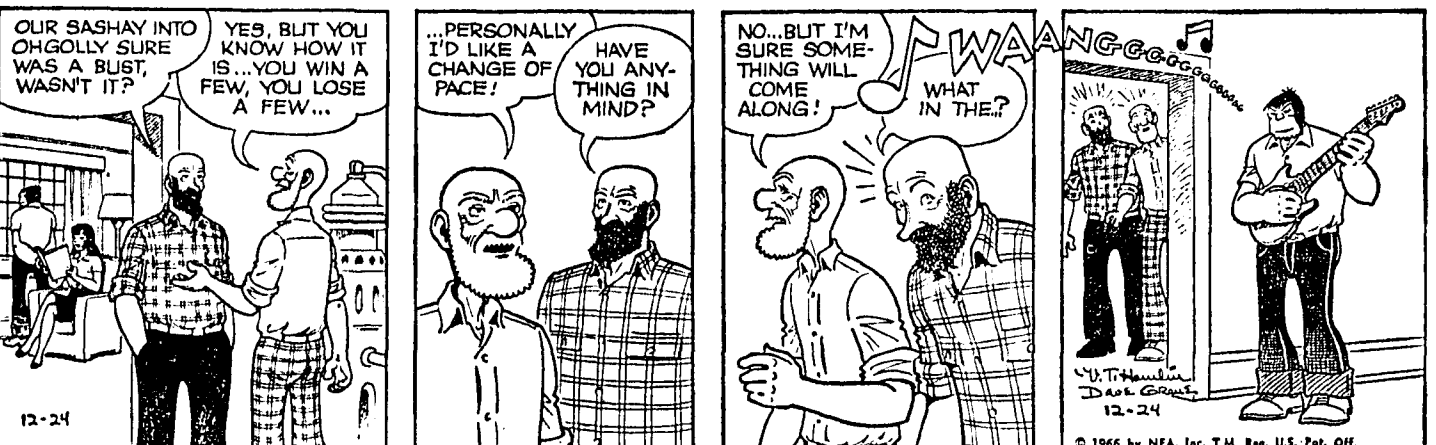


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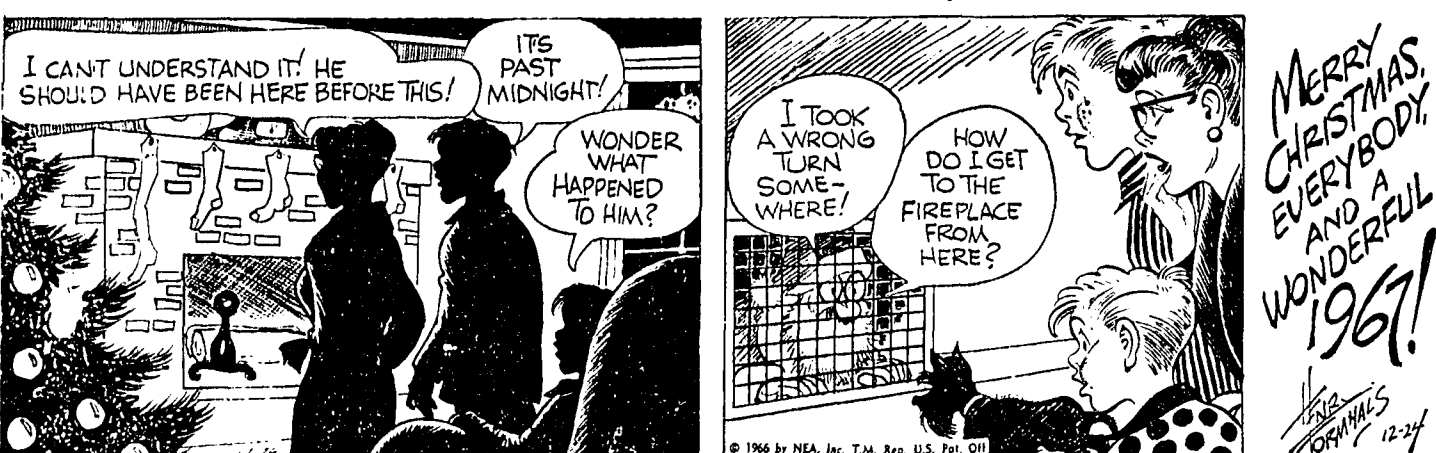
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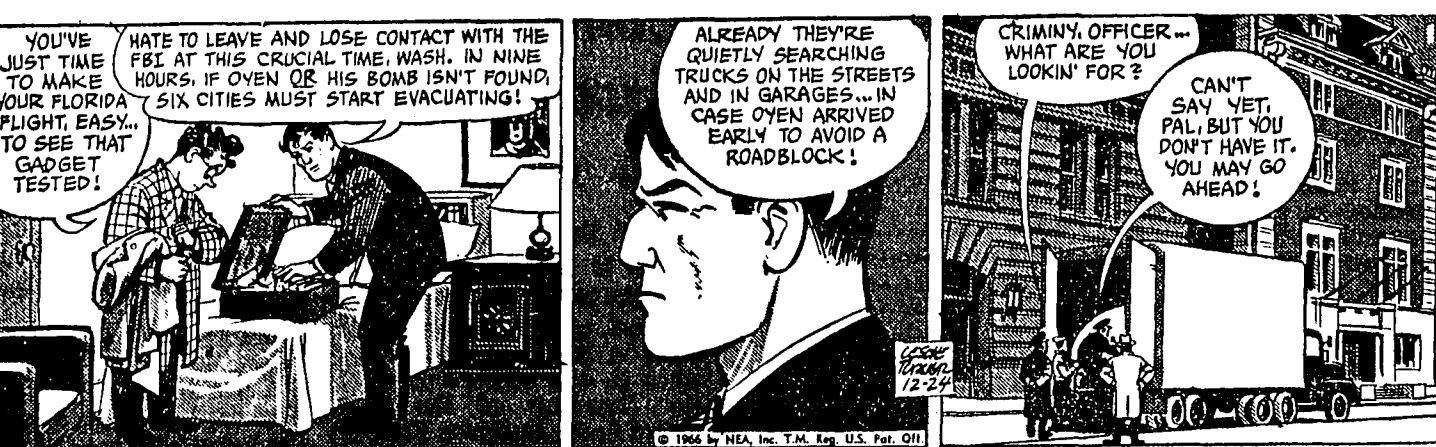
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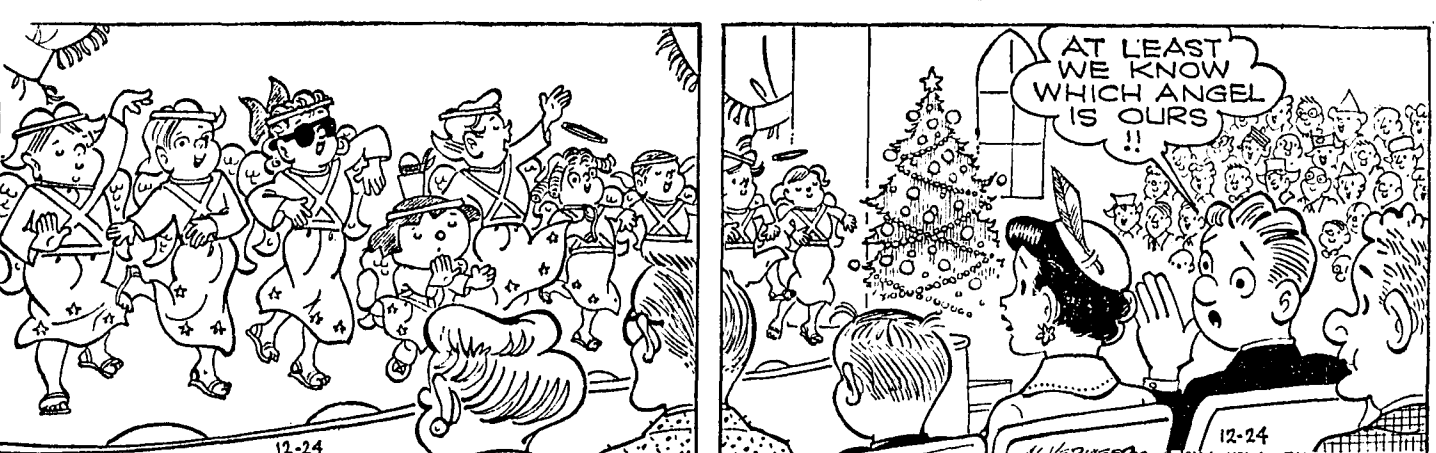
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Greenfield Woman's Club Marks 60th Anniversary

GREENFIELD — The Greenfield Woman's club observed its 60th anniversary at a meeting held Dec. 14 in St. Michael's hall. The theme was "A Christmas Season to Remember."

The club was organized Oct. 24, 1906 at the home of Mrs. Jacob Dohm as a Domestic Science club with Mrs. C. J. Doyle elected as president, Mrs. F. J. Stock, vice president and Mrs. C. R. Sheffield, secretary-treasurer.

Under the active leadership of the club, Domestic Science classes for girls were started in Greenfield High school in 1911. The group was also instrumental in starting a library in 1913 which they presented to the city in 1914.

Other historical bits were related to the 45 members present at the anniversary celebration. The oldest past president participating was Mrs. Jesse T. Linder. Mrs. Frank Burnett was the oldest former member pres-

ent. Mrs. Ellis Walkington of White Hall told of her year as president when the club celebrated its 50th anniversary.

An interesting account of the club's early history was given by Mrs. Byron Hill, Jr. with Mrs. John Vandaveer giving later accounts. Mrs. Howard Hobson, American Citizenship chairman, pointed out historic events of 1906, and Mrs. James Ford, past county president of Woman's club, also told interesting bits of past history. Mrs. Richard Dalton read an item from the 1876 Greene County Atlas reflecting the rugged family situations in 1814 when Greene County was just beginning to be settled.

Mrs. Leo Price of the Greenfield club, 20th district auditor, presented a 60 year scroll from the General Federation of Woman's clubs to the president Mrs. Hutchison.

Past presidents present were Mrs. Jesse T. Linder, Mrs.

James Martin, Mrs. John Vandaveer, Mrs. Richard Dalton, Mrs. Russell Riggs, Mrs. Leo K. Price, Mrs. Byron Hill, Jr., Mrs. Claude Linn, Mrs. Ellis Walkington, Mrs. Hubert Cole and Mrs. Richard Cole who served the anniversary cake to the honored guests. Another special guest was Mrs. Richard Hutchison of Springfield.

Past presidents who sent letters were Miss Harriet Vandaveer of Tombstone, Arizona, Mrs. Oliver Miller of Palmyra and Mrs. Fred Burnham of Naperville.

Hostesses were Mrs. Kenneth Bowman, Mrs. J. Hedgecock, Mrs. Charles Metcalf, Mrs. Agnes Penrod, Mrs. Henry Longmeyer and Mrs. C. E. Longmeyer. Many lovely gifts were put under the Christmas tree for hospital patients. Mrs. Sanford Hutchison and Mrs. Melvin Hankins delivered the gifts to the Jacksonville State hospital. Interesting historical articles were exhibited by Mrs. Raymond Bennett, Mrs. Curtis Twitchell and Mrs. Elmer Batty.

President Ulysses S. Grant's father was a tanner.

ENSIGN GROSS COMPLETES DUTY IN VIETNAM

USS STONE COUNTY (LST-1141) (FHTNC) — Navy Ensign Terry N. Gross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn G. Gross of 1405 W. College avenue has returned from a seven-month tour of duty

off the coast of Vietnam aboard the tank landing ship USS Stone County.

During the deployment his ship carried a total cargo of nearly 30 million measured ton miles, and traveled more than 24,000 nautical miles. The Stone County is homeported at San Diego, Calif.

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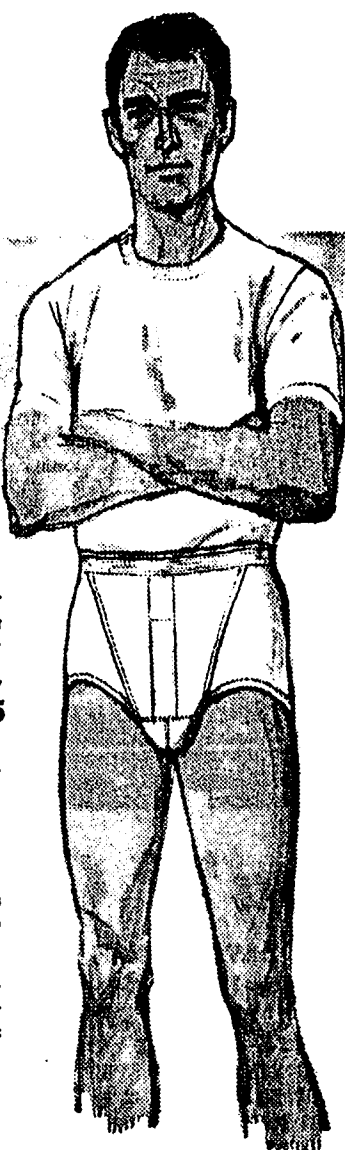
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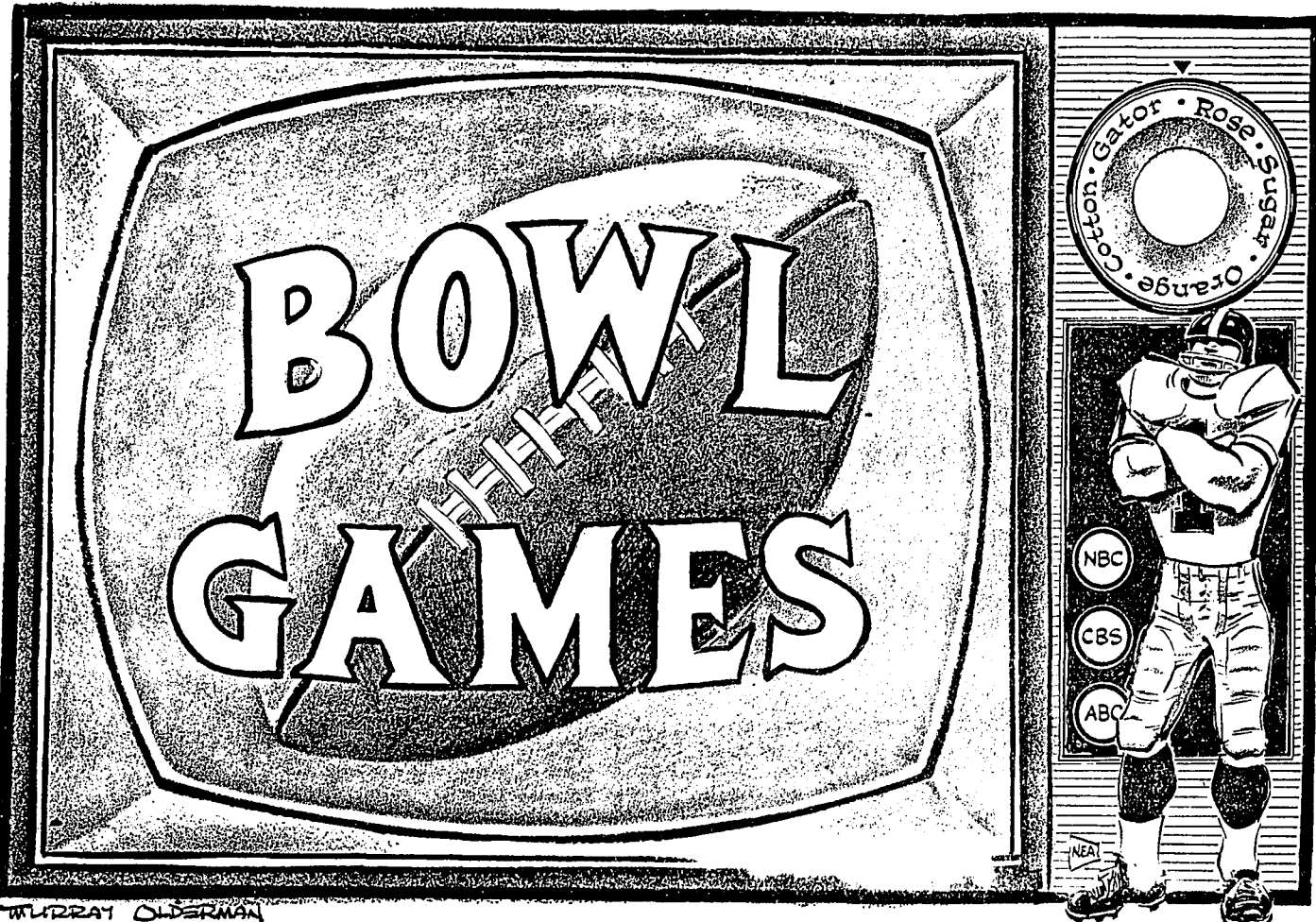
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You'll Get The Bowl Picture On TV

By DAVE BURGIN

Newspaper Enterprise Assn. NEW YORK — (NEA) — There are so many football bowl games, college and pro, being promoted these days that it would surprise no one if somebody came up with a game for losers.

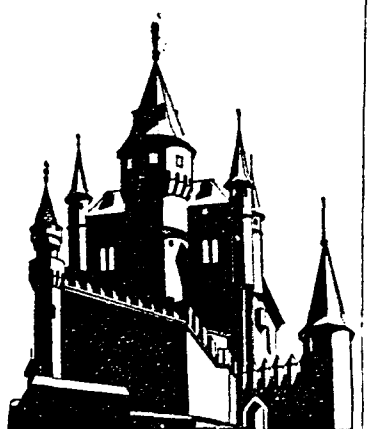
"I heard that even the New York Giants have received a bowl invitation," cracked TV's Johnny Carson. "They've been asked to play Jan. 1 in the Viet Cong Bowl."

2 Members Of Browns Are Fined

CLEVELAND, Ohio (AP) — Defensive back Erich Barnes was fined \$250 and halfback Walter Roberts \$50 Friday by the Cleveland Browns on orders of National Football League Commissioner Pete Rozelle because of a fracas in last Saturday's game in St. Louis.

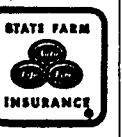
The Browns president, Art Modell, said he received a telegram from Rozelle saying that "films studied here of last Saturday's game established that Erich Barnes' actions were a major contribution to inflammatory sideline incident."

Another telegram from Rozelle instructed Modell to fine Roberts \$50. The incident on which the disciplinary action was taken was a play when Bobby Williams, St. Louis Cardinals defensive back, drove Roberts out of bounds. It took place near the Cleveland bench. Williams said Roberts "wanted to fight... he jumped on me. Then Barnes came over. Then it seemed like the whole Browns' team was around me."



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pro. This doesn't mean the New Year's weekend lineup won't score well in Nielsen ratings. Quite the contrary. The bowls don't have a Michigan State Notre Dame to bring you, but, oh, do they have pro prospects! Don't bet that at least one halftime or pregame interview

Moore, Gavilan Voted To Boxing Hall Of Fame

NEW YORK (AP) — Archie Moore, the former light heavyweight champion and one of the great scientific boxers of all time, and flashy Kid Gavilan, the former welterweight king from Cuba, have been elected to the Boxing Hall of Fame.

Their elections were announced Friday along with the selection of another former light heavyweight champion, Battling Levinsky, by the Old Timers Committee. James (Deaf) Burke, an English champion in the 19th century, also was enshrined in the Pioneer group.

Moore, an outstanding fighter who was deliberately avoided by a number of light heavyweight champions, finally got his chance when he was 36, or possibly 39.

No matter the age, he soundly whipped Joey Maxim and won the light heavyweight title on Dec. 17, 1952. Old Archie made seven successful defenses of the 175-pound division crown and finally retired after losing in two attempts at the heavyweight title.

He never did lose the light heavyweight crown in the ring. Gavilan, now 40 and living in Cuba, was one of the brightest stars of the early era of television boxing. The slick, fast punching Hawk of Camaguey, won the welterweight title in 1951 by defeating Johnny Bratton and Billy Graham.

The Kid made six successful title defenses, bowed to Bobo Olson in a middleweight title fight, and then lost his welterweight crown on a controversial decision to Johnny Saxton in Philadelphia on Oct. 20, 1954.

College Scoring Race Close One

NEW YORK (AP) — Willie Scott of Alabama State has moved into first place by a tiny margin of a point in the scoring race of the college basketball division of the National Collegiate Athletic Association.

Scott has averaged 35.42 points a game for seven games to nose out Bill Geist of St. Procopius, who has a 35.40 mark for five games.

There's a big drop to the 31.8 average of third place, held by Mike Davis of Virginia Union. The statistics, based on games through Dec. 17, were released Friday by the NCAA's Service Bureau.

The race for team offensive honors was just as close as the individual competition. Arkansas A&M leads with 60.88 in nine games to 110.05 of St. Louis of Alabama in seven games. Frank Fronczek of American International continued to pace the rebounders with 24 a game. Other leaders include Jimmy Westley, Savannah State Ga., field goal percentage, .672; Jerry Parks, Carthage, Ill., free throw percentage, .976; Ashland, Ohio, team defense, 49.8; Southampton, N.Y., field goal percentage, .560, and Bates, free throw percentage, .811.

won't produce a pro scout talking about the great career some player has in front of him! Playing in the five major bowls—Rose, Cotton, Sugar, Orange and Gator—on Dec. 31 or Jan. 2 will be no less than a dozen or so consensus All-Americans.

Throw in another eight or 10 players off the All-America second teams, plus another 20 off the honorable mention lists, and you've just about got a Who's Who in Pro Football for 1972.

Of course there are some bonafide All-Americans (pro prospects, if you prefer) who won't make the bowl games. You can see them in the all-star games—the East-West Shrine game on San Francisco on Dec. 31, or wait a week and watch the Senior Bowl game from Mobile, Ala., on Jan. 7.

On Friday night, Dec. 30, do an hour of eyeball exercises after dinner and then get plenty of sleep. Saturday, Tennessee and Syracuse meet in the Gator Bowl (ABC) at Jacksonville, followed by Southern Methodist-Georgia (CBS) in the Cotton Bowl game from Dallas.

Keeping in mind that pro scouts dig size, speed and desire the most, watch the play of Tennessee's Austin Denny, Paul Naumoff and Dewey Warren; Syracuse's Floyd Little and Gary Buehagen; SMU's John La Grone; and Georgia's Edgar Chandler, Bill Stanfill and George Patton.

Now on New Year's Day, there's a little matter of two championship games, one between Green Bay and Dallas for the National Football League title and the other between Buffalo and Kansas City for the American Football League crown.

Sunday's action not only will prime you for the big Super Bowl game on Jan. 15, it will renew your perspective for prospect watching in three more bowl games on Monday, Jan. 2.

In the Sugar Bowl game (NBC), take long looks at Ray Perkins, Cecil Dowdy and Bobby Johnson of Alabama, and Wayne Meylan, Laverne Allers and Larry Wacholtz of Nebraska.

Next comes the Rose Bowl (NBC), the battle to see if the Big Ten's second best, Purdue, is better than the AAWU's second best, Southern California. The men to watch are Purdue's Bob Griese and Jim Beirne and USC's Nate Shaw and Roy Yary.

In the evening comes the Orange Bowl (NBC). This is perhaps a highlight for prospect watchers because the No. 1 player of 1966, Florida's quarterback Steve Spurrier, is playing. But Georgia Tech will counter with Jim Breland, Len Snow and Sammy Burke.

As for the game aspect of the college bowl lineup, there is little to get excited about—no national championship at stake and no real grudge matches. The best bet, Alabama vs. Nebraska, lost its luster when Nebraska blew its last game to Oklahoma and messed up the Sugar Bowl promotion as a showdown of unbeaten.

If the eyeballs hold up through all those games, you're probably in the wrong business. The first thing a club owner checks when he's hiring a scout: eyes.

CLOSE GOOSE SEASON SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (AP)—Illinois' 1966 goose season was ordered closed Friday because hunters bagged their quota of birds, the State Conservation Department announced. The season ended at 3 p.m. in Alexander, Union, Jackson and Williamson counties where hunters bagged 18,000 Canada geese. Statewide, the goose hunting season ended Dec. 5. About 2,000 Canada geese were taken outside the four Southern Illinois counties, the department said. Steve Laub led the Titans with 16. Wesleyan is 5-4 for the season.

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"Assistant coaches have again been informed, and will continue to be checked by their head coaches, that recruiting must comply in letter and in spirit with conference rules and the Illinois philosophy of intercollegiate athletics."

"All other head coaches have been interviewed and university officials are convinced that none of them is in violation of regulations on grants in aid."

Commissioner Reed's statement, issued after a conference with Dr. David D. Henry, university president, Elliott, Combes and the other university representatives Thursday, said he will make a formal report to the Big Ten at a later time.

To Recommend Action He said his report to the conference athletics directors will include recommendations as to conference action. He added that they "will include recommendation of the degree of cooperation of the university in exposing this matter and the initiative taken by the university in self discipline."

Reed said more than \$21,000 was spent in five years attracting and paying athletes at Illinois. The funds were raised, he said, by solicited donations, and "were completely apart from the operation of the university's grant-in-aid program conducted in accordance with conference rules."

Charge 39 Players Have Received Aid

Seventeen of the recipients "no longer are students," he said. He did not elaborate on this. The Lindsay-Schaub newspapers reported that three of the suspended athletes are Rich Jones of Memphis, Tenn., leading scorer on the Illinois basketball team; and teammates Ron Dunlap of Chicago and Steve Kuberski of Moline, a reserve.

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The three did not play in Illinois game with California in Chicago Stadium Friday night. A university spokesman said he could not confirm the report about the three basketballers.

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AP Selects Burnett Top AFL Rookie

BUFFALO, N.Y. (AP) — Bobby Burnett admitted Friday that he doesn't "like to bring my little body into contact with the big fellows."

But he did all season for the Buffalo Bills and, as a result, was named by The Associated Press as the Rookie of the Year in the American Football League.

Burnett, 23, a product of Arkansas, won over Mike Garrett of the Kansas City Chiefs by six votes in the balloting three-member committees of sports writers and sportscasters in the league's nine cities. Burnett received 15 votes.

"I'm only a little fellow," said the 6-foot-2, 197-pound running back in explaining he had no secret in picking up extra yards once he cracks an opposing line.

Tries To Go Around "I try not to run over anybody," he said. "I figure I have to get around them without having to bring my little body into contact with the big fellows. I just try to slip around their tackles."

Burnett, who gained 766 yards rushing compared with Garrett's 801 yards, said he "still must learn a lot about blocking."

When he joined the Bills last summer they figured he was probably a year away from winning a starting role. Burnett turned out the Bills guessed wrong.

Harvey Johnson, the Bills' talent scout, reasoned that because Burnett had been a tailback at Arkansas he would not get the type of blocking experience Buffalo needed.

Burnett credited the coaching staff and "all the players for teaching me how to block."

In addition to Garrett, who received nine votes, the pollsters gave two to Jim Harvey, Oakland guard, and one to New York tight end Pete Lammons.

Butler Upsets Bradley, 78-74 INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. (AP)—Butler overcame a cold start and upset Bradley's basketball team 78-74 Friday night, hitting 18 of 22 free throws for its winning margin.

The Butler Bulldogs trailed 13-5, moved into the lead at 22-17 but fell behind again 41-35 at halftime. Butler built up an eight-point lead three minutes into the second half but lagged again 72-68, caught up again at 72-72 with 44 seconds left and went ahead to stay with 35 seconds to go.

Illini Tumble Cal In Overtime, 97-87

CHICAGO (AP) — Although shocked by suspension of two stars and a reserve, the University of Illinois' basketball team won a comeback, overtime victory over California's Bears at the Chicago Stadium Friday night.

Illinois won 97-87. Just a few hours before game time, the Illini lost leading scorer Rich Jones and 6-foot-8 center Ron Dunlap, both regulars, and substitute 6-7½ Steve Kuberski, in a suspension of 12 Illinois athletes because of illegal athletic practices at the school.

The Illini started shakily, but 6-foot-8 Dave Scholtz, subbing for Dunlap, came through with 22 points in a drive that culminated in the fifth victory in six starts for Coach Harry Combes' team.

In the five-minute overtime, Illinois rattled in 17 points, six by the pressured sophomore Scholtz.

California, suffering its second straight defeat by a Big Ten team after four successive victories, was paced by its scoring star, Charlie Perkins, who led both teams with 27 points. Jim Dawson paced Illinois with 24 while Deon Flessner had 23.

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Central Rallies To Notch 76-72 Edge Over 'Cats

WINCHESTER — Central of Camp Point used a 29-12 advantage in the third period to overcome a five-point halftime deficit and notched a 76-72 non-conference triumph over Winchester, here Friday evening.

Central trailed 17-14 and 34-29 at the first two breaks, but rallied behind Dennis Baker to pull away in the third quarter. Baker, who tallied nine in each of the final two periods, ended up with a sterling 32-point performance.

Winchester came back with a 26-point final period before falling short at the finish. Larry Evans led the losers, now 3-3, with 20 points.

By Quarters: Camp Point 14 15 29 18-76 Winchester 17 17 12 26-72 Preliminary: Camp Point 62; Winchester 46

Combback Award Goes To Parilli

NEW YORK (AP) — Babe Parilli of the Boston Patriots, who has had image problems in the past, corrected the vision of most of his detractors Friday when he was named winner of the Combback of the Year award in the American Football League by The Associated Press.

Parilli, a 36-year-old veteran of 13 pro seasons, got the nod from the three-man committees of sports writers and sportscasters balloting in each of the nine league cities by drawing eight votes to five for his nearest competitor, halfback Bert Coan of Kansas City.

Buffalo flanker Elbert Dubenion received four votes; Miami defense end Ed Cooke collected three; New York fullback Matt Snell drew two, and Boston fullback Jim Nance and San Diego defensive back Bob Zeman each received one.

Laughs Off Critics Parilli, who had a sensational 1964 season in which he passed for 31 touchdowns, was retired by his Boston critics at the start of the current season when he was unable to get untracked and seemed to be following a downward path set in 1965. Parilli, however, laughed it off.

"It's ridiculous," Parilli said. "It makes me laugh. What are they going to say when I have a good game? I've been a pro for 13 years and slow starts are my patterns—just like a zig out or zig in. I thought I'd get off to a better start, but I'm not concerned."

Coach Mike Holovak also noted Parilli's slow start, after his poor 1965 season, but said: "Sure I'm not pleased with the way he's been going, but it hasn't entirely been his fault. In the movies we've found the receivers making mistakes were ruining their patterns and fouling up plays. I'll stick with Parilli all the way."

Moves Team Well And he did, the Patriots started to move behind him—and they eventually wound up making their move at the Eastern Division title.

But when Parilli had reached an important decision early in the season the critics tore him apart, and the fans booed long and loud.

"Sure I heard the boos," Parilli said. "How could I miss it? But I told myself if I let them bother me I would be defeated."

"So I decided to keep on firing the football no matter what."

That was good enough. Parilli completed 181 of 328 passes for 2,721 yards and 20 touchdowns, guiding the Patriots to an 8-4 record compared to 4-8-2 in 1965. And now they can't retire Parilli again—until next year.

LOUISVILLE EDGES LaSALLE, 106-88 LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP)—Louisville had early problems with LaSalle's zone defense, but the No. 2 ranked team finally rallied behind the shooting of Butch Beard and scored its eighth straight victory, 106-88, Friday night.

LaSalle jumped off to a 13-7 lead, directed by the shooting of Hubie Marshall and a tight zone defense which collapsed around Louisville's 6-8 center Westley Unsold.

Louisville, which surpassed the 100-point figure for the fourth time this season, chipped away at LaSalle's margin and with 12:52 left in the half went ahead 13-12. Louisville never trailed again.

LaSalle left its zone defense shortly before the half and Louisville went into its fast break offense to balloon the score to 50-38 by intermission.

Beard led all scorers with 34 points, his highest total in a short career at Louisville. Unsold scored 23 and Jerry King hit 15 for Louisville.

BUY SAVINGS BONDS

SUNDAY ON
TV

Sunday, December 25
*Denotes Color
6:30 (4)—Sign On
6:45 (4)—The Christophers
6:55 (10)—Lord's Prayer
7:00 (4)—Science Reporter
(7)—Christ and the
Meaning of Life
(10)—The Answer
(5)—Lester Family Sing
(10)—Faith For Today
(4)—Camera Three
(2)—Pattern For Living
8:00 (10)—All American
Quartet
(7)—This Is The Story
(4)—Sunday Morning
(5)—Gospel Singing
Jubilee
(2)—Message of Rabbi
8:15 (7)—Sacred Heart
(2)—The Answer*
(10)—News
8:30 (7)—This Is The Life
(10)—Linus the
Lionhearted
(4)—Faith On Our
Path
(20)—Herald of Truth*
8:45 (2)—Religious Reporter
9:00 (5)—Metropolitan
Church
(2)—Sacred Heart
(20)—Faith For Today
(4)—CBS Special—
"L'Enfance Du
Christ"
(10)—Beany & Cecil
9:15 (2)—Catholic Mass
9:30 (5)—This Is The Life
(10)—Peter Potamus
(20)—Lanphier H.S. Choir
10:00 (2)—Christmas Day
Church Service
(4)—Montage
(7)—Camera Three
(5)—101—Christmas
Church Service
(2)—Bullwinkle*
10:30 (4)—Way of Life
(7)—Bugs Bunny
(2)—101—Discovery*
(5)—Atom Ant*
11:00 (2)—Beany & Cecil
(5)—Corky's Colorama*
(20)—Sacred Heart
Academy
(4)—The Church is You
(7)—Casper Cartoons
(10)—Mass for Shut-Ins
11:30 (10)—Championship Bowl-
ing
(20)—Springfield H.S.
Choir
(7)—Face the Nation
(2)—Peter Potamus
12:00 (2)—Directions '67
"Christmas in the
Market Place"
(5) (20)—Meet The Press
(4)—Movie—
"Unconquered"
(7)—NFO Farm Report
12:30 (7)—TBA
(20)—Eternal Light
(5)—Award Theatre
(10)—Possum Holler Opry
1:00 (2)—Movie—
"Fall of Rome"
(20)—Movie—
"The Big Circus"
(10)—U. of I. Christmas
Program
1:30 (10)—Bullwinkle
(7)—TBA
2:00 (10)—Discovery
(7)—CBS News 1966
2:30 (2)—Tennessee Tuxedo
(10)—Western Catholic
Christmas Program
3:00 (2)—101—"Christ is
Born"
(4)—CBS News 1966
(7)—TBA
(20)—Great Music
3:30 (7)—The Stars Shall Rise
4:00 (2)—Movie—
"Rose Marie"
(4) (7)—Password
(5) (10) (20)—Wild
Kingdom
4:30 (5) (10) (20)—College
Bowl
(4) (7)—Amateur Hour
5:00 (20)—St. James' Christ-
mas Music
(4) (7)—"Christmas in
El Barrio"
(5) (10)—Frank McGee
and the Night Visitors
6:00 (4) (7)—Lassie
(2)—"The Dangerous
Christmas of Red
Riding Hood"
6:30 (5) (10) (20)—Walt
Disney
(4) (7)—It's About
Time*
7:00 (2)—FBI
(4) (7)—Ed Sullivan
Show*
7:30 (5) (10) (20)—Hey Land-
lord*
8:00 (4) (7)—Garry Moore
Show*
(2)—Movie—
"Dangerous Days of
Kiowa Jones"
(5) (10) (20)—Bonanza
9:00 (5) (10) (20)—Andy Wil-
liams Show*
(4) (7)—Candid
Camera
9:30 (4) (7)—What's My
Line
10:00 (4) (5) (7) (10) (20)
—News
(2)—Film Festival—
"7th Voyage of
Sinbad"
10:15 (5)—Movie—
10:30 (10)—Movie—
"Francis of Assisi"
(20)—Great Music
(7)—Hollywood Palace
(4)—Best of CBS—
"The Man From
Laramie"
11:30 (7)—Weather and News
11:50 (2)—News
12:30 (4)—Movie—
"Tarzan Triumphs"
1:00 (5)—News
(2)—News
2:00 (4)—Late News

MONDAY ON
TV

* Denotes Color
Monday, December 26
Channels 5—10—20
12 Noon to 3 p.m.
AFL Championship Game
Channels 2—10
3 p.m. to 6 p.m.
North/South Shrine Football
Game
5:15 (4)—Give Us This Day
5:20 (4)—Early News
5:30 (4)—Summer Semester
6:00 (4)—Town and Country
6:30 (4)—P. S. 4
(5)—Focus: Your World
6:45 (2)—Farm Report
6:50 (2)—Country Music*
7:00 (5) (10) (20)—Today*
(4)—The Morning News
7:25 (10)—Today In Quincy
(20)—Farm News Round
up
7:30 (5) (10) (20)—Today*
(4)—Morning Scene
(7)—News
7:40 (4)—Mr. Zoom*
8:00 (4) (7)—Captain
Kangaroo
(2)—Winchell - Mahoney
8:25 (10)—Today In Quincy
(20)—Conversation For
Today
8:30 (5) (10) (20)—Today*
9:00 (4) (7)—I Love Lucy
(5) (10)—Eye Guess
(2)—Romper Room
(20)—The Jack Lalanne
Show
9:25 (5) (10)—News*
9:30 (4) (7)—The Real
McCoys
(5) (10) (20)—
Concentration*
(2)—Score Four
10:00 (4) (7)—Andy Griffith
Show
(2)—Supermarket
Sweepstakes
(5) (10) (20)—The Pat
Boone Show
10:30 (5) (10) (20)—The
Hollywood Squares*
(2)—The Dating Game
(4) (7)—Dick Van Dyke
11:00 (4) (7)—Love of Life
(2)—Donna Reed
(5) (10) (20)—
Jeopardy*
11:25 (4) (7)—News
11:30 (2)—Father Knows Best
(4) (7)—Search for
Tomorrow
(5) (10) (20)—Swingin'
Country
11:45 (4) (7)—Guiding Light
11:55 (5) (10) (20)—News
12:00 (2)—Charlotte Peters
Show
(4) (5) (7)—News
(10)—Score Four
(20)—Girl Talk
12:05 (4)—Dennis The Menace
(5)—Non Show
12:10 (20)—Weather
12:15 (7)—Hal Barton
12:30 (4) (7)—As The World
Turns
(5) (20)—Let's Make
A Deal*
(10)—Noon Show
12:55 (5) (10) (20)—News*
1:00 (4) (7)—Password*
(5) (10) (20)—Days Of
Our Lives*
(2)—Newlywed Game
(4) (7)—House Party*
(2)—Dream Girl
(5) (10) (20)—The
Doctors
1:55 (2)—Woman's News
2:00 (4) (7)—To Tell The
Truth
(5) (10) (20)—Another
World
(2)—General Hospital
2:25 (4) (7)—News
2:30 (4) (7)—Edge Of Night
(4)—The Nurses
(5) (10) (20)—You Don't
Say*
3:00 (4) (7)—Secret Storm
(2)—Dark Shadows
(5) (10) (20)—Match
Game*
3:25 (5) (10) (20)—News
3:30 (7)—General Hospital
(2)—Where The Action Is
(4)—Early Show—
Pirates of Tripoli
(5) (20)—Mike Douglas
(10)—Let's Make A Deal
4:00 (2)—Dobie Gillis
(10)—Where The Action Is
(7)—Tri-State Time
4:30 (2)—Lassie
(7)—Ben Casey
(10)—Rocky and His
Friends
4:45 (10)—Cactus Club
5:00 (4)—Leave It To Beaver
(2) (5) (20)—News
(10)—Batman
5:20 (5)—Weather
5:30 (5) (10) (20)—Huntley -
Brinkley*
(2)—Spencer Allen—News
(4) (7)—CBS Evening
News*
6:00 (2)—Wells Fargo
(4) (5) (7) (10) (20) —
News
6:30 (4) (7)—Gilligan's Island
(5) (10) (20)—The
Monkees*
7:00 (5) (10) (20)—I Dream
Of Jeannie*
(4) (7)—Run, Buddy,
Run
7:30 (4) (7)—The Lucy Show
(5) (10) (20)—Roger
Miller*
(2)—Rat Patrol*
8:00 (4) (7)—Andy Griffith
Show*
(2)—Felony Squad*
(5) (10) (20)—The Road
West*
8:30 (4) (7)—Family Affair
(2)—Peyton Place*
9:00 (2) (10)—Big Valley
(4) (7)—To Tell The
Truth
(5) (20)—Run For Your
Life*

9:30 (4) (7)—I've Got a
Secret
10:00 (2) (4) (5) (7) (10) (20)
—News
10:15 (5)—Tonight Show*
10:30 (2)—Movie—On Danger-
ous Ground
(4)—Movie—The Blazing
Forest
(7)—The Hawk
(10) (20)—Tonight Show*
11:30 (7)—Weather, News
12:00 (5)—Movie—Uncle Harry
12:10 (2)—Movie—Blueblood
12:15 (4)—Movie—Beloved
Enemy
1:50 (4)—Late News

TUESDAY ON
TV

Tuesday, Dec. 27
*Denotes Color
5:00 (4)—Leave It To Beaver
(5) (20)—News
(10)—Batman
5:30 (4) (7)—News
(2)—News
(5) (10) (20)—Huntley-
Brinkley*
6:00 (2)—Tales of Wells Fargo
6:30 (4) (7)—Daktari
(2)—Combat*
(5) (10) (20)—Girl From
U.N.C.L.E.*
7:30 (4) (7)—Red Skelton*
(2)—The Rounders*
(5) (10) (20)—Occasion-
al Wife*
8:00 (2)—Pruitts of South-
ampton*
(5) (10) (20)—Movie—
Tammy
8:30 (4) (7)—Petticoat
Junction
(2)—Love on a Rooftop*
9:00 (2)—Fugitive
(4)—KMOX-TV News
Special
9:30 (4) (7)—CBS News
Special—Westmore-
land On Vietnam
10:00 (2) (4) (5) (7) (10)
(20)—Weather, News,
Sports
10:15 (5)—Tonight*
10:30 (2)—Movie—
Hell Cats of the
Navy
(7)—Combat
(4)—Late Show—
Mr. Imperium
(10) (20)—Tonight Show
12:00 (5)—Merv Griffin
12:10 (2)—Movie—
Destination Unknown
12:20 (4)—Late, Late Show—
Sirocco
2:10 (4)—News

Tree Sparkles
With \$4,390
In Donations

The Salvation Army's Tree of Lights fund stood at \$4,390.96 Friday, the next-to-the last day of the current drive.

The campaign received a sizeable boost as members of the Jacksonville Exchange club collected \$747.91. The Tree of Lights booth was manned by Exchange members and members of the local Junior Women's club, who collected \$51.80.

Donations of \$10 or more have been received from: United Commercial Travelers, Jville Council 182; Dr. and Mrs. R. E. McKinney, Mrs. Ardath Short, Mrs. Ernest C. Short, Chasen's Inc., Staff of Visiting Nurses Assn., Employees of Central National Life Insurance Co., Mace's Drug Store, George R. and Roberta Taylor, Jacksonville Area Amateur Radio Club, Ideal Baking Co., Mrs. Cary Andras, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Goveia, M. and L. Feed Store.

James E. Hadden, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Omundson, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sellers, Tuesday Club, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Thomson, Cotton Insurance Agency, Mr. and Mrs. Jack LeSuer, Gene's Sporting Goods, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Niccum, Justin Biggs Painting Co., JSP Trucking, Bell Sheltered Care Home and Residents.

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Waddell's Department Store, DeWitt Motor Company, Herl B. Jordan, Fanning Oil Co., B. and Mrs. Paul Fussner, Bate, Market, Mr. and Mrs. Carol D. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Coulter, Dr. C. Leple Kanatkar, VFW Auxiliary to Post 1379, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Andrews, Voelkel Glass Service, Employees of Long's Pharmacy.

An important toy for a West Virginia company is the scale model "Mill of the Future" built by two industrial engineers for Weirton Steel. The duplicate of a future modern steel-making complex was pieced together in a little more than one year by Ray Campbell and Edward Schultz, for use in planning the layout of the actual project. Tedious in building, the working miniature rail yard was assembled from information in a foot-high stack of blueprints, and built to a scale of one-eighth-inch to the foot. Pondering one of the cars at left is Campbell, one of the model builders.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Ruppel of Chanderville are the parents of a son born Dec. 19 at Memorial hospital in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. David Cade of Dallas, Texas became parents of a son born Dec. 20 weighing 7 lbs. 3 1/2 ozs. The infant was named David Marcus. Grandparents are Mrs. Kenneth Cade of Minneapolis, Minn., formerly of Jacksonville, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mann of Winchester.

Funeral services for Harvey Smith were held at 1 p.m. Friday at the Gillham-Buchanan Funeral Home with Rev. W. J. Boston officiating. Mrs. Francis Plouer was organist. Mrs. Gaylord Swisher sang "In The Garden" and "Beyond the Sunset." Pallbearers were Claude Decker, Lloyd Decker, Alvin Decker, George Decker, Harold Swain and Eugene Martin. Burial was in Yatesville cemetery.

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Eight Persons
Escape Serious
Injury Friday

Eight persons, including two young Pike county children, escaped a near serious accident Friday night two miles west of Jacksonville on U.S. 36-54.

Investigating state and city police, called to the scene at 9:23 p.m., said that a car, driven by Betty A. Kitson, 17, of 1058 West Greenwood was unable to stop at the junction of the county road and U.S. 36-54.

The Kitson vehicle crashed into a westbound car operated by Sidney H. Shipley, 39, of route one, Pittsfield.

Miss Kitson was later charged with operating faulty equipment. She told officers that the brakes on her auto failed and she was unable to stop for the intersection.

Following the accident, a passenger in the Kitson car, Charles D. Nebel, 20, of Forest City, Ill. drove the car from the scene. He was charged by city police with driving while under the influence of alcohol.

Two other passengers in the Kitson auto escaped injury. Three members of the Shipley family escaped injury.

Joseph Dyer
Of Griggsville
Dies At Age 85

GRIGGSVILLE — Joseph W. Dyer, 85, of Griggsville passed away at 1:50 p.m. Friday in a Pittsfield nursing home.

Born in Elizabethtown, Ky., Feb. 3, 1881, he was the son of William and Belle Alfre Dyer. He was married in Griggsville March 8, 1905 to the former Sarah L. Griffin, who survives.

Also surviving is a daughter, Mrs. Howard (Vivian) Syrole of Griggsville; a sister, Mrs. Mary Walther of Mora, Minn.; five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p.m. Monday at the Skinner Funeral Home in Griggsville with Reverend Paul Dickson officiating. Burial will be in Griggsville cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home Sunday afternoon and evening and until time of services Monday.

Hold Beardstown
Man After Crash

A Beardstown man was being held in custody of the county sheriff Friday night on charges of driving while under the influence of alcohol, and illegal possession of liquor.

Authorities identified the man as James R. Riggall, 40, of Beardstown, who was taken into custody shortly after he was involved in two traffic accidents about six o'clock this evening.

Police said that Riggall, driving a westbound vehicle on West Morton Road, struck the rear of another westbound auto, driven by Robert LeRoy Garner of Winchester, in the 1000 block of West Morton.

Authorities said that Riggall failed to stop, and proceeded west.

Riggall then reportedly lost control of his auto at the intersection of Illinois 104 and U.S. 36-54, and it crashed into a large highway information marker. His badly damaged vehicle was towed from the scene.

LIGHT FAILS, TWO
VEHICLES DAMAGED

Two vehicles were damaged early Friday evening at the intersection of South Diamond and West Morton Road, according to city police.

A southbound auto on Diamond, driven by Gladys A. Pilkington of 15 Havendale Court stopped suddenly when the traffic signal went out of commission.

A second southbound auto, being driven by Alice R. Garmon of 1424 Cedar street crashed into the rear of the Pilkington auto.

Police officers verified that the traffic signal for southbound vehicles on Diamond was not in working order when they were called to the scene at 7:15 p.m.

ESCAPE INJURIES
IN SCOTT ACCIDENT

Occupants of two vehicles escaped serious injury about six o'clock Friday evening at the west edge of Winchester at the junction of Ill. 106 and U.S. 36-54.

Investigating state police reported that a car, driven by Ana L. Hoover, 21, of Milton pulled from Ill. 106 onto U.S. 36-54 into the path of a semi-tractor trailer unit operated by Donald H. Lowder, 40, of Waverly.

A passenger in the Hoover auto, Gail Bess, 16, also of Milton escaped injury.

Officers reported that both vehicles were heavily damaged.

TWO VEHICLES DAMAGED
FRIDAY WEST OF CITY

Two vehicles were heavily damaged about 11:15 a.m. Friday two miles west of Jacksonville on U.S. 36-54.

Investigating state police said that a car, driven by Bill E. Lomelino of route three, struck a truck driven by John E. Long of route one. Both of the vehicles were westbound at the time of the accident.

Officers said that Long was attempting a left turn and Lomelino was passing the truck when the incident occurred.

Both vehicles were driven from the scene.

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A—Wanted
WANTED — Clean cotton rags. Journal Courier Office.
10-9-1f—A

WANTED — Roofing, painting, building repairs. Fully in- sured. Albert Whewell, phone 245-6390.
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A—Wanted

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12-19-6f—A

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12-20-6f—A

WALLPAPER removing or cleaning, patch plastering, in- terior decorating. Free esti- mates. Wilbur Smith, 245-6777.
12-21-1mo—A

C—Help Wanted (Male)

WANTED — Married farmhand, year round work. Modern house, close to town. Top wages. References required. Write 7513 Journal Courier.
12-18-1f—C

WANTED — Married man, ex- periened with livestock and machinery for year round farm work. Modern house. C. J. Drury, Alexander 478-3911.
12-17-1f—C

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12-22-1f—C

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D—Help Wanted (Female)
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12-22-1f—D

BOOKKEEPER and Secretary for general office work in lum- ber yard. Phone 997-3281 Arenzville.
12-23-1f—D

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12-25-6f—J

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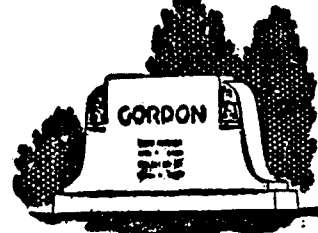
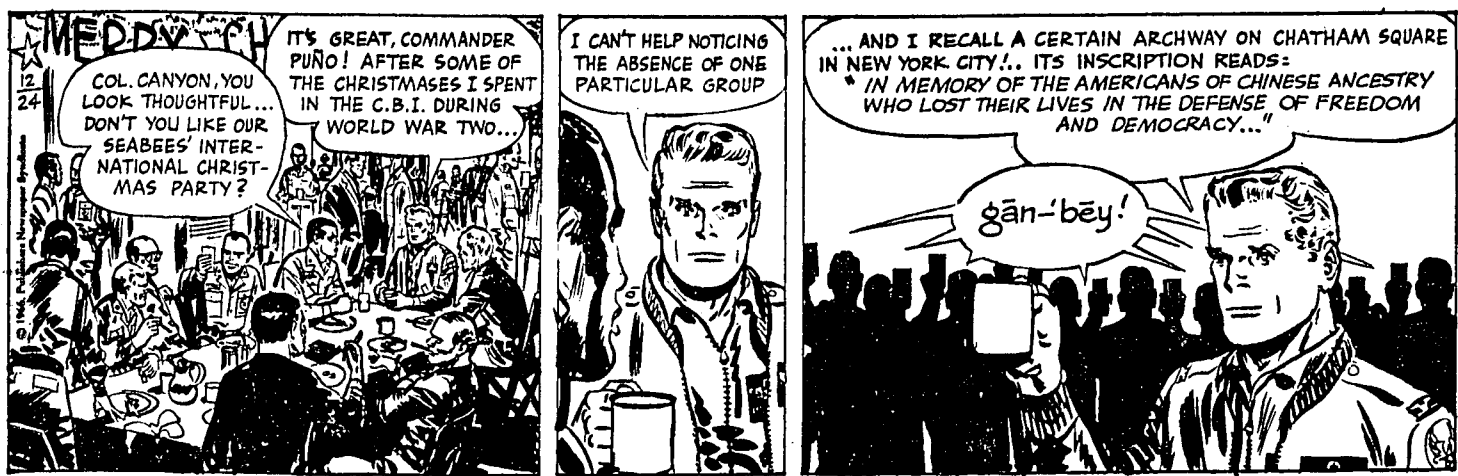
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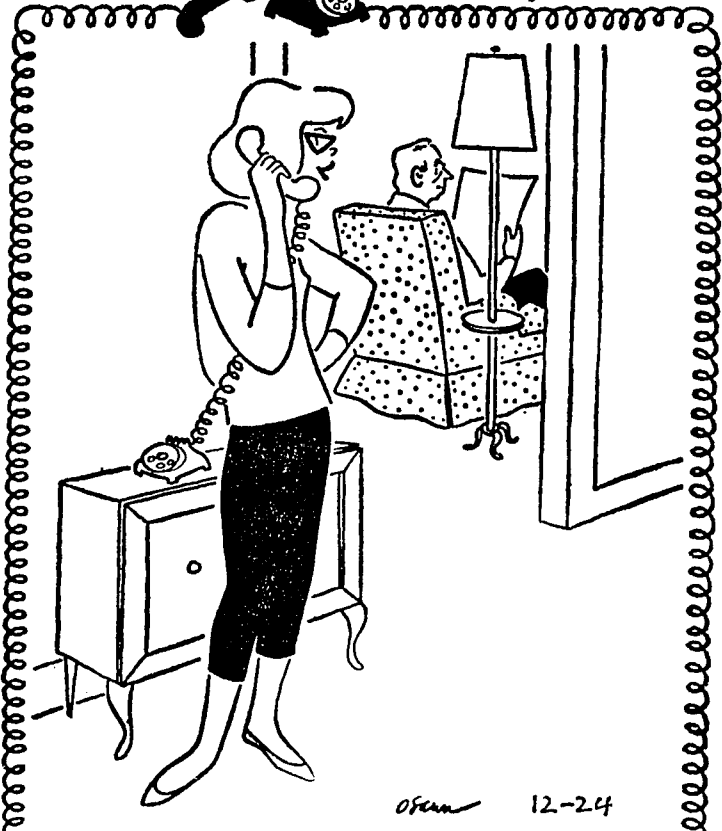
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Since our new church has been completed the following will be offered at public auction.

AT 2:00 P.M.

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| 1-Chandler & Price printing press, 12"x18" electric w/ cabinet, type and all accessories (good condition). | 2-Hot water radiators, hanging type w/electric blowers (good). |
| 1-Antique Large Brass Chandelier—8' high. | 12-Hanging Elec. Lights with white globes. |
| 4-Matching wall lights and hanging lights to match. | 4-Hanging bee-hive speakers for P.A. system. |
| 5-Antique Pulpit Chairs w/Red Velvet Cover. | 1-Oak Library Table. |
| 2-4' Electric Ventilating Fans. | 1-Westinghouse Refrigerator and other kitchen equip. |
| 419-Individual Church Armed Pews. | OTHER MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS. |

TERMS—CASH

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Charles Puckett, Pastor—Ph. 245-8823 Area Code 217.

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CLOSING OUT SALE

OF

FARM MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT

4 miles west of Jacksonville on Rt. 104,
watch for sale sign.

Monday, January 9, 1967 — 11:00 A.M.

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| — Truck —
Ford 1-ton, w/stock rack, grain sides, 4 speed transmission. | Kewanee 40 ft. corn dump w/ jack |
| — Machinery & Equipment —
Oliver 1800 tractor w/power steering | Brilliant shredder mower |
| Oliver Super 88 tractor w/power steering | Stan hoist end loader for Oliver |
| Oliver 60 baler | Oliver 7 ft. mower |
| Oliver 73 corn picker | 8' heavy blade w/3 point hitch |
| Oliver 18 combine | Side delivery rake |
| Kewanee wheel disk | Weed sprayer (7-row) |
| I.H. 16-7 grain drill | 4-Rubber tired wagons complete w/beds |
| Oliver 4-row rear mounted cultivator w/3 point hitch | 2-300 gal. fuel tanks on stands |
| Oliver 4-14 semi-mounted plow | 2-Feeder bunks |
| J.D. 4-row corn planter | 5-8x14 hog houses |
| 4-row rotary hoe | Hog gates & hog feeders |
| | 1-500 gal. truck tank, also other stock tanks |
| | 150-Steel posts |
| | Woven wire fence |
| | Loading chute |
| | Other misc. equipment |

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ROY HAZELRIGG: OWNER

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AUCTION SALE

Holstein Cows, Hogs and Machinery

Having decided to close out the Dairy and hog feeding operation I will sell the following at Public Auction, at Farm No. 3, two and one-half miles northwest of Girard, Illinois, on

Thursday, December 29, 1966

STARTING AT 11 A.M.

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94 Shoats, approx. 70 lbs. 95 Hogs, 100 to 180 lbs. 14 Sows to farrow first part of Jan.; 15 Sows to farrow first part of March; 1 Sow with 8 Pigs; 2 Boars.

FARM MACHINERY

1954 Massey Harris 44 Tractor; John Deere Model A Tractor; Tundell Grass Chopper; Oliver 4-Row Cultivator; Oliver Mower with 3-Point Hitch; Tractor Seeder; Chore Boy Walk Through Cattle Sprayer; 6 Dawson Hog Houses; 7 Water Tanks, some with fountains; 4 Hog Feeders; Kewanee 10-Ft. Wheel Disc; M.&M. Mounted 3 B. Plow; Farm Hand Auger Wagon; M.&M. Tandem Manure Spreader, 100-Bu. Size; New Idea Manure Spreader, 75-bu. size; Electric Wheel Rubber Tired Wagon; 2-300-Gal. Overhead Gas Tanks, and Many Other Articles Too Numerous to Mention.

TERMS: CASH

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PUBLIC SALE

OF

MACHINERY, LIVESTOCK & SOME HOUSEHOLD

THURSDAY, JAN. 5, 1967

AT 11:30 A.M.

Located 5 miles west of Jacksonville, Ill. (go west of Capitol Records and follow sale markers)

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| CATTLE
7-Herford cows, 2 to 4 yrs. old
8-Herford feeder calves approx. wt. 500 lbs.
MACHINERY & TRUCK
1-1951 I.H.C. 3/4-ton pickup truck, good tires
1-1951 Oliver "77" gas tractor w/live PTO, big sleeves & pistons
1-1951 M-H gas tractor "44", big sleeves & pistons, w/ hyd.
1-AC "66" PTO combine w/ good canvas
1-D.B. 40 ft. corn dump
1-Speed jack
1-New Idea 2-row pull corn-picker
1-Case 3-14" pull plow on rubber
1-IHC 3-12 pull plow on rubber
1-IHC tractor mower
1-Case 2-row corn planter
1-Flare bed rubber tired wagon
1-Steel wheel wagon
1-J.D. grain drill, 14 disc
1-Oliver 2-row cultivator for "77"
1-Gandy 10-ft. fertilizer spreader (good) | 1-Tractor P.T.O. seeder
1-Roderick Lean 8 ft. tandem disc
1-IHC 7 ft. tandem disc
1-275 gal. fuel oil tank
1-Platform scale, 800 lb. cap.
1-MW chain saw, 19 in. (good)
1-Vise
2-1/4 H.P. elec. motors
1-Elec. bench grinder
2-Elec. fence chargers, 110 volt
1-Pr. bolt cutters
1-28 ft. extension ladder
1-3-ton hyd. jack (like new)
1-Large lot of old iron
Miscellaneous items, shovels, wrenches, barrels, rolls of pickets, etc.
HOUSEHOLD
1-Bedroom suite, w/dresser & chest of drawers
1-WW oil heater, 60,000 B.T.U.
1-Skelgas apt. size kitchen range
1-Antique love seat
1-Antique dresser
4-Coal oil lamps
1-Secretary
1-Planer and bench
1-Music cabinet
1-Overstuffed platform rocker
Several lamps, dishes, cooking utensils, etc. |
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TERMS—CASH

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Lunch served by ladies of the Lynnville Methodist Church

Owner: ROBERT KILLAM

Clerk: Joe Wallbaum Cashier: Dick Hoots

Auctioneer
LeROY MOSS—Phone Woodson, Ill., 673-3041

EXTRA LARGE PUBLIC SALE

OF

LIVESTOCK, MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT

TUESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1967

AT 11:00 A.M.

Located 2 miles east of Detroit, Ill., on Rts. 36 & 54 or 2 miles west of the Illinois River on Rts. 36 & 54.

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| MACHINERY
1-1963 AC D-19 gas tractor w/ P.S., wide front end, power shift wheels (extra good)
1-1957 WD 45 AC gas tractor (good)
1-AC "90" PTO combine w/ chopper (good)
1-AC 4-14" or 4-16" plow w/ cover boards
1-AC 3-14" plow w/cover boards
1-Krause 12 ft. wheel disc (good)
1-12 ft. flexible harrow
1-40 ft. corn dump
1-1956 Ford 3/4 ton pickup truck
1-7"x14" flat bed wagon on rubber (good)
1-Rubber tired trailer
1-Old AC "60" combine
1-AC "33" mtd. corn picker
1-AC 2-row cultivator for WD or WD 45
1-AC round baler (good)
1-AC round baler for parts
1-Tractor PTO seeder
1-Char Lynn P.S. for WD or WD 45
1-McCulloch chain saw
1-1/2" elec. drill
1-Farm Master portable milking machine (perfect)
1-4 can milk cooler
1-JD straight disc
1-IHC 4-row corn planter
1-AC rear mtd. blade
1-Bearcat hyd. rear mtd. tractor jack
1-P.T.O. corn sheller
1-Iron kettle | 2-Sheep hay racks
15-Concrete hog pans
1-End gate seeder
15-8-ft. gates
2-Hog feeders
50-Hedge posts
GRAIN & HAY
6250 bu. of ear corn approx. 800 bu. oats approx.
5000 bales of hay (round)
325 bales of straw (round)
Hogs
12-Crossbred sows will farrow in Jan.
7 Hamp. sows will farrow in March
6-Spotted Poland China sows will farrow in March
3-Poland China sows w/pigs
2-Hamp. sows w/pigs
50-Crossbred feeder hogs 125 to 180 lbs.
117-Spotted Poland, Hamp. & Duroc crossbred feeder hogs
Cattle
21-Good Hereford cows bred to good Polled Hereford bull
26-Herford calves, approx. wt. 500 lbs.
1-Polled Hereford bull (good)
1-Milk Stock
3-Brown Swiss cows, 4-5 & 8 yrs. old
1-Ayrshire w/calf, 7 yrs. old
1-Holstein w/calf, 5 yrs. old
1-Swiss w/calf, 2 yrs. old
1-Brindle w/calf
1-Brindle & Holstein cross, 7 yrs. old
5-Swiss heifers
26-Ewes |
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TERMS — CASH

Lunch Will Be Served

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**OWNERS: HUGH ELLIS,
BERTHA HARRIS and
HARLEY MYERS**

Clerk: Joe Wallbaum Cashier: Dick Hoots

Auctioneer
LeROY MOSS, Phone Woodson, Ill., 673-3041

PUBLIC SALE

OF

EXTRA GOOD MACHINERY

AND

EQUIPMENT

TUESDAY, JAN. 10, 1966

AT 11:00 A.M.

Located 12 miles west of Jacksonville, Ill., on Rts. 36-54.

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| 1-IHC 706 gas tractor, w/wide front end, P.S., 3 pt., fully equipped. Extra good. 875 hrs.
2-Hyd. cylinders
1-IHC #18 4-14 hyd. pull plow w/super chief btms. & coverboards.
1-1966 Case 4 row, 3 pt., rear mtd. cultivator (like new)
1-1966 Case 13 1/2 ft. wheel disc, w/sealed bearings (like new)
1-IHC 5-14" hyd. plow on rubber
1-JD 2 wheel PTO pull mower
1-JD AW 11 ft. wheel disc
1-Case double chain 44 ft. corn dump
1-Stan. hoist wagon hoist
1-1962 New Idea Super 2 row corn picker (extra good)
1-Case 77 PTO combine (good)
2-Rubber tired wagons w/steel flare beds, w/hoist
1-JD 490 4 row corn planter w/ rubber press wheels
1-JD 14-7" grain drill
1-JD 4 section heavy harrow
1-1966 3 section flexible harrow
1-3 section flexible harrow | 1-Case 28 ft. corn elevator
1-2 section flexible harrow
1-JD wagon hoist
1-3 pt. crane
3-Older wagons, 1 on rubber
1-Winter front for DC Case
1-Pickup attachment for Case combine
1-JD stalk cutter
4-Cover boards for IHC plow
2-Power lawn mowers
Equipment & Shop Tools
2-Hog feeders
1-Creep feeder
3-Water tanks
1-Winter hog fountain
1-Nelson portable chute on rubber
23-10 ft. gates
3-12 ft. gates
Several feed platforms
1-Litter feeder
Several more gates
1-Quincy elec. air compressor
1-Elec. hand power saw
1-Elec. 1/4" drill
1-Homelite XL 12 chain saw
1-Set of tools & tool box
Log chains, shovels |
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OWNER — HARRY ORRIS

CLERK: JOE WALLBAUM CASHIER: DICK HOOTS

AUCTIONEER

LEROY MOSS—Phone Woodson 673-3041

PUBLIC SALE OF LIVESTOCK MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 4, 1967

Due to health circumstances, we have rented our farm and will sell at the residence located 4 1/2 miles West of Winchester (go West of Winchester on Rt. 36-54 2 miles, turn North and watch for sale markers).

STARTING AT 11:00 A.M.

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| 1-1961 J.D. 630 Tractor with P.S. and PTO. Good rubber. Good condition.
1-1955 W.D. 45 Tractor. Good. New valve job.
1-1945 J.D. B Tractor.
1-AC 90, P.T.O. Combine with straw chopper. Extra good.
1-New Idea 2-row Pull Picker.
1-Kewanee 500 Corn Dump, 50-ft. Like new.
1-J.D. 10-ft. Wheel Disc KBA.
1-Oliver Disc.
1-J.D. 4-row Cultivator. Like new.
1-A.C. 2-row Cultivator.
1-J.D. No. 5 Power Mower, semi hitch.
1-I.H.C. Pull Mower on rubber.
1-I.H.C. Drill with grass seeder.
1-J.D. 3-bottom 14-in. Mtd. Plow with cover board.
1-J.D. 2-bottom Pull Type 14-in. Plow.
1-J.D. 400 Tractor Planter with Insec. boxes and furrow openers.
1-D.B. Field Sprayer on cart.
1-Oliver Tractor Manure Spreader on rubber.
1-Ezee Flow 88 Spreader.
1-Corrugated Iron Roller.
1-Tractor Wood Saw with stand.
1-Tractor Corn Saver Shield.
1-7 H.P. Kohler Engine. Good condition.
1-I.H.C. 26 Rotary 60" Cutter.
2-D.B. Wagons with flare steel beds.
1-M.W. Wagon with flare wood bed.
2-Steel Wheel Wagon Gears.
1-J.D. No. 110 Hammer Mill with traveling feed table.
1-J.D. 2-section Harrow and Hitch. New.
1-J.D. 2-section Flexible Harrow.
1-J.D. 4-row Rotary Hoe.
1-3-section Harrow and Hitch.
2-Hyd. Cylinders.
2-Tractor Comfort Covers and umbrellas.
1-Set Tractor Chains.
4-Tractor Wheel Weights.
2-Drive Belts for tractor.
1-60 Bu. Brower Hog Feeder. Good.
1-50 Bu. Unico Hog Feeder. Good.
1-30 Bu. Hog Feeder.
2-Brower Pig Creep Feeders.
Other items too Numerous to Mention. | 18-A-type Hog Sheds, some extra good.
1-Double Hog Shed.
1-Loading Chute. Good.
1-Sled with 4"x8" runners, 8"x10".
1-Ringing Chute.
2-Coal Tank Heaters.
2-400-Gal. each Stock Tanks with hog waterers.
1-300-Gal. Stock Tank with hog waterer.
1-70-Gal. Round Stock Tank with hog waterer.
1-300-Gal. Tank for hauling water.
1-Lot of Galvanized Roofing.
1-Electric Motor and pump jack.
1-Lot of Picket Fencing.
1-Hay Fork and rope.
1-Dinner Bell.
2-Wheel Trailer.
1-Road Drag.
1-Saddle.
1-Clipper Fan Mill.
1-Sears Elec. Paint Sprayer on wheels.
1-300-Gal. Gas Tank and stand.
1-32-Ft. Wood Extension Ladder.
1-Hand Corn Sheller.
1-Block and Tackle.
2-Iron Kettles with stand.
2-Log Chains, one large, 2-Anvils.
1-Vise.
1-Hand Post Drill.
1-Brace and Box of Drill Bits.
1-Forge.
1-Large Tool Box with lock and key.
2-Tarpaulins, one extra large Both good.
3-Coal Heating Stoves.
1-Oil Heater.
1-Large Antique Rocker.
1-Antique Churn.
1-Single Bed with mattress.
1-Round Dining Table.
1-Large Pressure Cooker.
1-Tourist Kitchenette.
1-Winchester Pump 97 Shotgun, 12 gauge. Good condition.
1-Browning Automatic Shotgun with Poly Choke, 12 gauge. Good condition.
1-Win. Special .32 Rifle. Good condition.
1-Antique .36 Colt Revolver. Livestock
123-Triple Treated Hampshire Shoats, 50 to 90 Lbs.
16-Triple Treated First Litter Hampshire Sows. Bred to Hamp. boar, Start farrowing March 1.
1-Hampshire Boar, purebred. Not registered. |
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TERMS — CASH

Lunch will be served.

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EARL & SPENCER BUNCH, Owners

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1966 Chevrolet Impala Coupe . . . \$2595 8 Cyl., Power Glide and Power Steering.	1963 Chevrolet Convertible . . . \$1495 Super Sport and Fully Equipped.	1962 Chevrolet 4 Door \$ 895 5 cyl., std. trans.
1966 Chevy II 2 Door \$1595 6 cyl., std. trans.	1963 Ford Custom 4 Door \$ 795 8 Cyl., Automatic.	1961 Corvair Monza Coupe \$ 595 Power Glide.
1966 Chevrolet 2 Door \$1895 6 cyl., std. trans.	1963 Ford Galaxie 4 Door \$1095 8 Cyl., Automatic.	1960 T-Bird Hardtop \$ 695 Worth a Lot More Than
1965 Chevrolet Impala 4 Dr. . . . \$2295 Full Power and Air Conditioned.	1963 Chevrolet Bel Air 4 Door . . \$1095 6 cyl., std. trans.	1960 Chevrolet Impala 4 Dr. . . . \$ 695 8 Cyl., Power Glide.
1965 Chevrolet Impala 4 Dr. . . . \$1795 8 Cyl., Std. Trans.	1963 Chevrolet 2 Door \$ 895 6 cyl., std. trans.	1960 Chevrolet Convertible \$ 695 8 cyl., Power Glide
1965 Chevrolet Impala Sta. Wgn. . \$2295 Full Power and Like New.	1963 Chevrolet Sta. Wagon \$1195 6 cyl., std. trans.	1960 Valiant Sta. Wagon \$ 395 6 cyl., std. trans.
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NEW FIELD, NEW UNIFORM for Ensign Roger Staubach, Navy's All-America quarterback and Heisman Trophy winner, who is now a supply officer at a naval base at Da Nang, South Vietnam. He still finds time to toss a football occasionally, and here he shows South Vietnamese guards how to hold the pigskin properly.

Church Of England Rich But Clergy Poor

By GODFREY ANDERSON
LONDON (AP)—The Church of England is richer this year than ever before, yet many of its clergy are still as poor as church mice.

The Church Commissioners—three eminent laymen who handle the Church's investments—reported the other day that annual income was up by 6.5 per cent compared with 1965. That set total income at \$59.5 million, three times the figure for 1949.

Such rapid growth was achieved by a bold decision which the commissioners took 18 years ago. They sold off fixed interest stocks and bought ordinary shares of industrial corporations. By the following March they had \$14 million so invested. Today they own ordinary shares valued at more than \$14 million.

That success story was achieved despite the fact that there were certain classes of stock in which as commissioners they could hardly invest. No Church money could go to distilleries or breweries, armament companies, entertainment enterprises, newspapers or tobacco groups.

Side by side with their flutter on the stock exchange, the commissioners looked over their property portfolio. The Church of England owns large slices of

valuable real estate in London and elsewhere, including some bordering on slums. The fact that much of this property suffered heavy war damage provided the opportunity for the Church to divest itself of some and improve or develop the rest.

Some \$128 million of property was sold and the proceeds used for a few shrewd purchases and improvement of what remained. Big schemes now under way include eight blocks of offices near St. Paul's Cathedral and development of a big estate on the edge of Hyde Park. And, as with the investments, the Church property income has nearly doubled.

Such wealth makes some Anglicans slightly unhappy. They are pleased that the Church of England is well-backed financially for lean times, but their consciences nag them.

Of course the money is needed to keep up the churches, pay the clergy, finance missionaries and help the poor. But should the Church take capital gains and get engaged in financial battles? And shouldn't more of what comes in reach the underpaid priest at parish level?

These moral questions are not answered by the Church Commissioners. But they make these points in their latest report:

Two-thirds of rectors and vicars in the Church of England are paid less than \$3,080 a year. Their living accommodations—often in a rambling, draughty parsonage—are free. Rectors and vicars, represent-

ing rather more than a quarter of the total, are paid less than \$2,800. More than 4,000 rectors and vicars receive no contribution from their parishes toward the expenses of their work. That means they must pay for the parish mail, telephone calls and an automobile for getting around.

ROYAL ARCH MASONS INSTALL OFFICERS

Jacksonville Chapter No. 3, Royal Arch Masons, held its annual meeting at the Masonic Temple on December 12. Election of officers for 1967 was held, with the following being elected: Thomas W. Richards, High Priest; Robert T. Dinsmore, Jr., King; Trusler R. Howe, Jr., Scribe; Charles A. Hughett, Treasurer; Wm. Dean Jarrett, Secretary; Russell L. Ruby, Chaplain; Edward D. Crowcroft, Captain of the Hosts; Warren S. McCulloch, Principal Sojourner; Wayne E. Blackburn, Royal Arch Captain; Carroll W. Houston and John H. Shaner, Masters of the Veils; Ormand G. York, Steward; and Edward A. Jackson, Sentinel.

The officers elected and appointed were installed by J. Emerson Miller, Ex. Grand Captain of the Hosts, Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Illinois, of Peoria, with Ernest N. Armstrong as Installing Marshal.

The first meeting of the new capital year will be on January 9, at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple.

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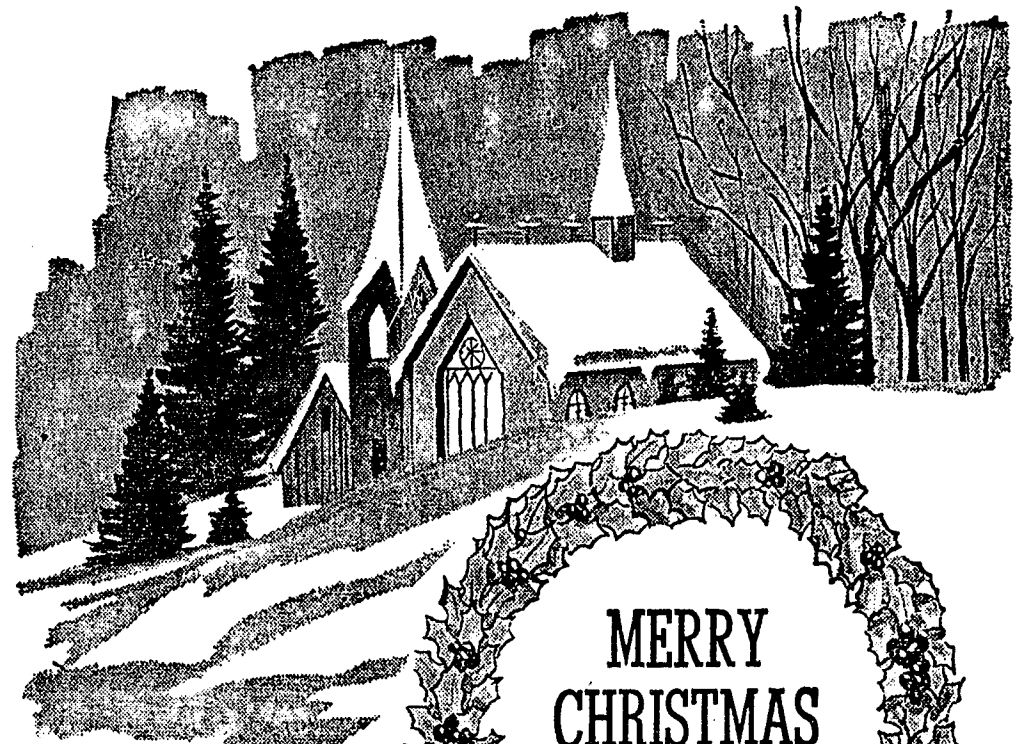
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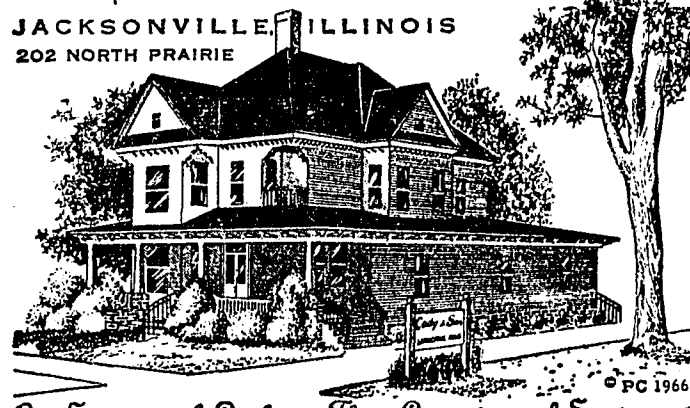


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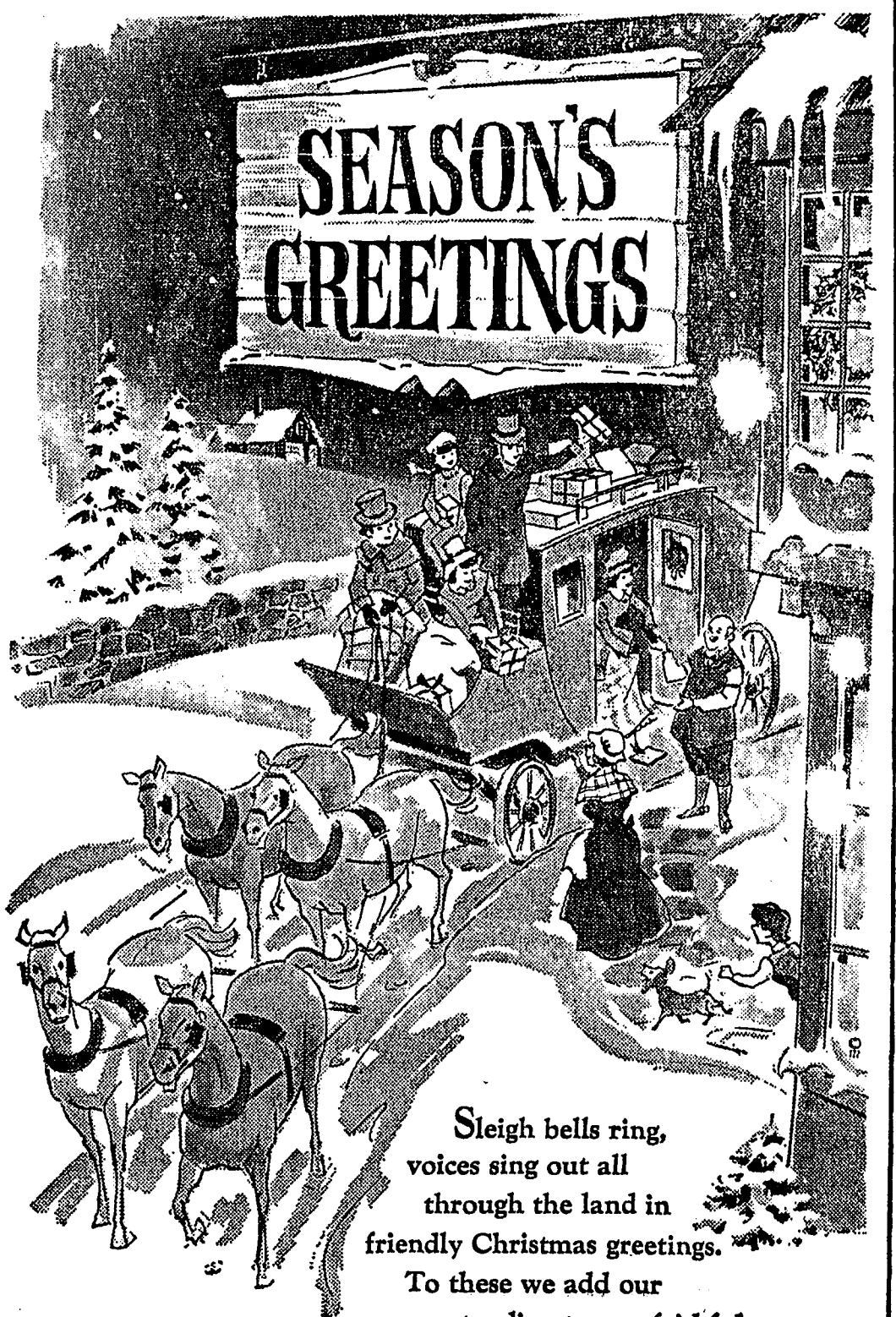
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ATLANTIC ATTEMPT
St. Brendan, the Irish abbot, has been given credit for making a crossing of the Atlantic Ocean on a seven-year voyage in the 6th century, but noted geographers call it legend.

Dr. Turpin Heads Greene Medical Society Slate

Dr. Felix Martin, Neurosurgeon from Quincy, spoke to the Greene County Medical Society on "Brain Injuries and Treatment," at a dinner meeting held at Day's Restaurant December 16.

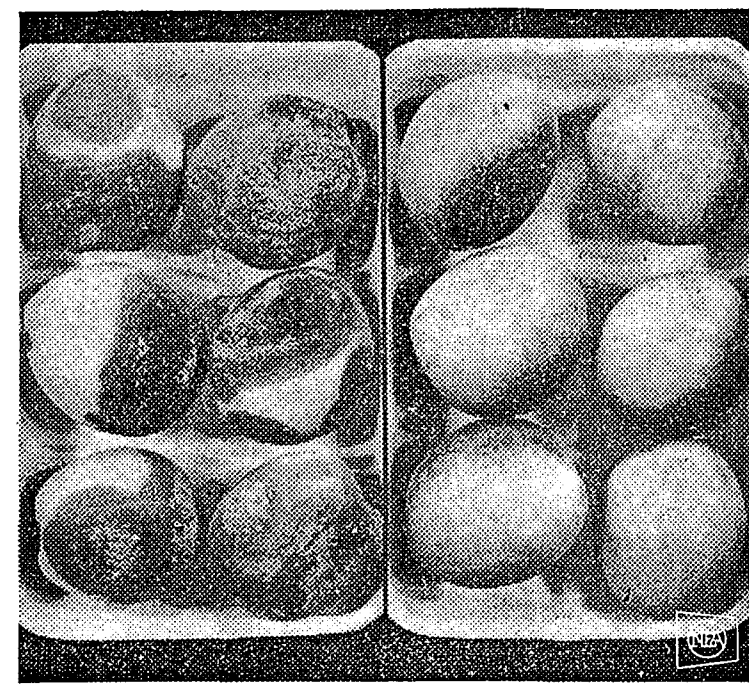
Following the scientific Lecture, Drs. Turpin and Dailey, members of the newly created Board of Health for Greene County, discussed the possible uses of this new organization.

New officers elected for 1967 are Dr. Gary Turpin, president, Dr. Jude A. Caselton, vice-president and Dr. A. K. Baldwin, secretary - treasurer.

Dr. Earl Walker, the retiring president, thanked the members for their help over the past year and nearly 100% attendance at numerous meetings called to accommodate the practice of medicine to the changing laws of the state and nation.

Dr. Dailey, not a candidate to succeed himself as secretary - treasurer, thanked the Society for their co-operation over the past 15 years of his service. Dr. Dailey recounted the changing pattern of organized medicine, namely a greater role in protecting the public's health, attempting to stave off the encroachment of the government into the

HEAT TREATMENTS are proving an effective means of preserving fresh fruits in Agriculture Department experiments. Department marketing specialists Walter Redit and Wilson Smith Jr., above, dip peaches in hot water to kill spoilage-causing organisms. In photo at right, first box of peaches which did not receive heat treatment shows much greater decay over same period of time as second box, which went through hot-water bath. Researchers are experimenting with hot-water and moist-air technique on a wide range of vegetables. Potentially cheaper and safer than chemical methods which have been used by commercial packers, it also kills some decay organisms chemicals can't reach.



private sector. Today a practicing physician has ample opportunity for advanced scientific and professional training. In addition a scientific planning committee for future programs was appointed consisting of Dr. James Reid, chair-

man and Drs. Turpin and Caselton. Dr. Earl Walker was appointed to the Medical Advisory Committee of the Greene County Department of Public Aid. Dr. Dailey was again appointed delegate to the Illinois State

Medical Society from Greene County. Dr. A. K. Baldwin is alternate delegate.

ROODHOUSE CLUB PROVIDING FOR FAMILIES IN NEED

ROODHOUSE—The December meeting of the Roodhouse Woman's club was held Friday afternoon, Dec. 16, at the White Hall Presbyterian church.

The president, Mrs. W. O. Harp, called the meeting to order. Miss Irma Fugger gave the opening prayer.

Welfare committee chairman Mrs. Howard Thompson reported that two needy families, one in White Hall and one in Roodhouse, would receive Christmas toys and clothing furnished by the club. Mrs. Edward Christison reported the need for clothing for a worthy person in Roodhouse and asked the members to help.

Mrs. Harp stated that an executive board meeting will be called in January to prepare for the district convention which will be held in April. The local club will serve as hostess for the meeting, to be held here.

Mrs. Frank McLaren conducted the worship service.

Mrs. Helen Sherer introduced Mrs. Ernest Roodhouse of White Hall, who discussed the legends of Christmas. The North Greene Choralists concluded the program with several Christmas songs, accompanied by Mrs. Ronald Martin.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Sherer, Mrs. Christison, Miss Fugger, Mrs. Julian Hutchens and Mrs. Ray Denney.

Passenger cars account for more than eight out of 10 motor vehicles registered in the United States.

GREENE MAN CITED FOR OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT

CARROLLTON — A2/c Tommy L. Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson, has received a citation and commendation for distinguishing himself and for outstanding achievement as a weapons control systems mechanic of the 8th Airmant and electronic maintenance squadron at Ubon Royal Thai AFB in Thailand from February 1, 1966 to June 30, 1966.

Airman Anderson's outstanding professional skill, knowledge

and personal endeavor under most adverse conditions contributed immeasurably to the success of the Unit's mission in southeast Asia. His ingenuity, resourcefulness and dedication to duty were instrumental in overcoming shortages of man power, equipment and proper work facilities. The distinctive accomplishments of Anderson reflect credit on himself and the U.S. Air Force. This citation and award is the highest given outside of actual combat.

Airman Anderson is now back in the states and is stationed at the David Montham AFB at Tucson, Arizona. He will complete his tour of duty within seven months.

Journal Courier, Jacksonville, Ill., Dec. 25, 1966

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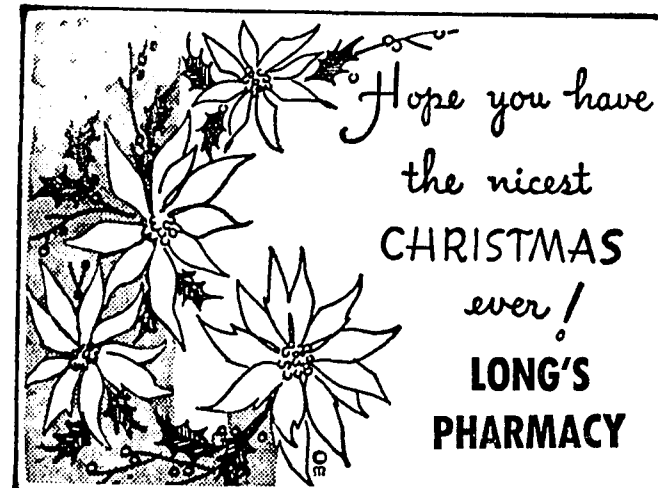
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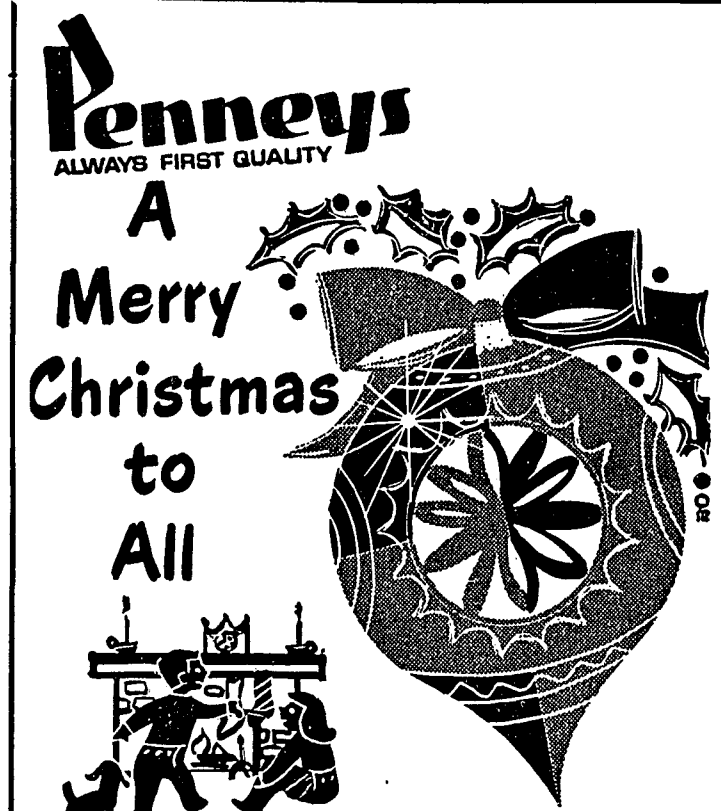
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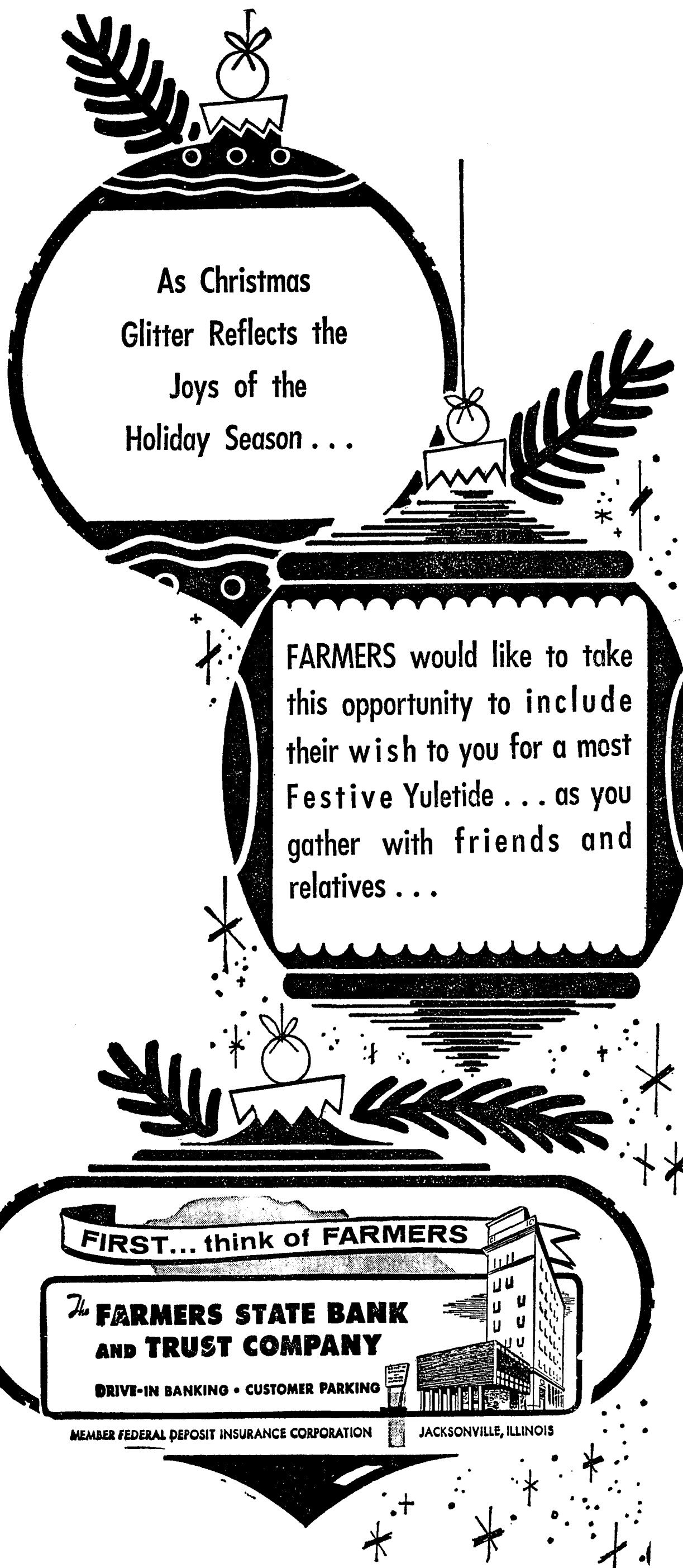
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prices in the East and Midwest. In April Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman predicted prices might decline as much as 10 per cent by fall. In June flour prices went up and suddenly bread cost 7.5 per cent more than it did in January. Milk went up 7.8 per cent. In July heat and the airline strike shriveled supplies of fruits and vegetables. And in August food prices were the highest since 1954.

The New York City markets commissioner blamed the U.S. Department of Agriculture for higher prices. Freeman blamed the middleman. Grocery stores blamed bakers. Bakers blamed flour millers. Flour millers blamed wheat growers. And wheat growers blamed the weather.

A trade group, the American Institute of Food Distribution, Inc., blamed inflation. "We don't like to feel we're

being taken to the cleaners and we're tired of hearing about some rich, invisible middleman who's causing prices to go up," said Mrs. Jay S. Threlkeld, a spokeswoman for the Denver women.

"The housewife is wrong," said the president of Campbell Soup Co., W. B. Murphy. "The food store is a handy goat for the housewife. The guilty party is the economy, with its rising cost pressures."

In February, wholesale food prices were 14.9 per cent higher than the previous year. In December they were 4 per cent lower than in the holiday season of 1965, when meat prices were beginning to soar.

The Agriculture Department maintains food bills will be up 10 per cent in 1967, but not as much as the 6 per cent increase for 1966.

The cost of processing, transporting and marketing food is expected to go up, too, pushed by wage increases.

WOODSON GROUP IN WILSON HOME

The Woodson Presbyterian Unity Workers met recently at the home of Mrs. Eva Wilson. Mrs. Vera McCormick presided and Mrs. Charles Irlam read the Christmas Story. Reports were given by Mrs. J. T. Butler and Mrs. Eva Wilson. Each member participated in the program of poems, thoughts and music pertaining to Christmas.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to members and one guest, Mrs. Sorrells.

Over the earth as a whole it is estimated there are 100 lightning flashes every second.

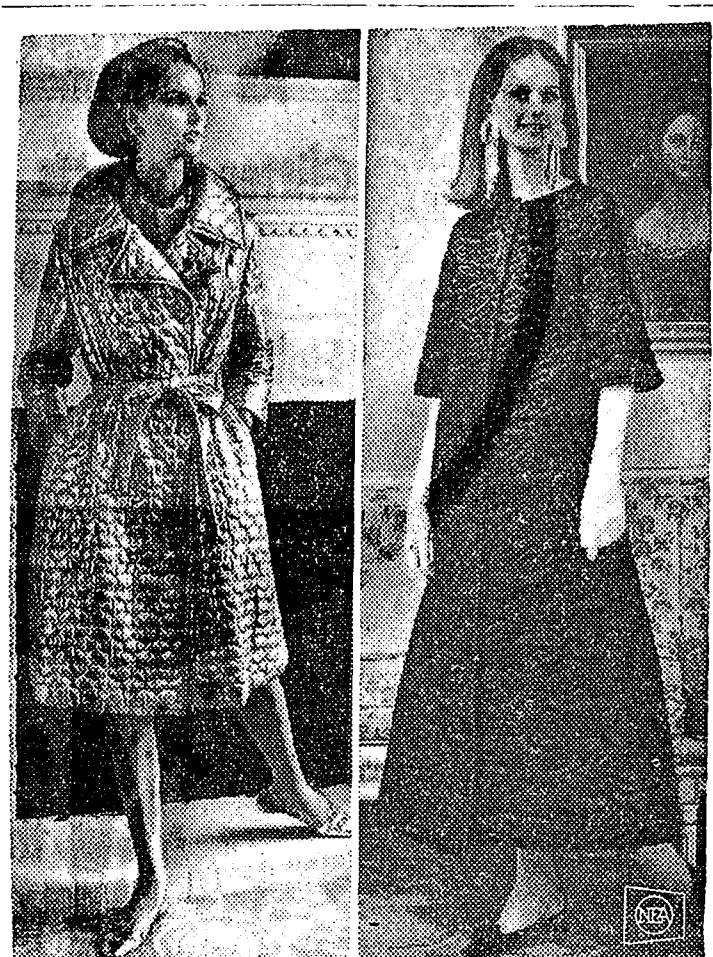


FOR ANY GALA ON BOARD a cruise ship printed fabrics in unique, bright patterns give new dimension to fashions. Cotton satin muu-muu-inspired evening dress (left) has pointed sleeves for a different touch. Hawaiian printed culottes in cotton pique (right) look just like an evening gown. (The American Printed Fabrics Council)

Despite Boycotts', Picketing

Price Of Food Will Climb Higher In '67

By SALLY RYAN
AP Business News Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — Despite boycotts and picketing, the government and housewives are agreed on one thing: Food prices will climb higher in 1967. Housewives in Phoenix set off a nationwide protest movement last fall when they banded together in an attempt to force down food prices. They even baked their own bread. In Denver, the Housewives for Lower Food Prices boycotted major chain supermarkets, then called off pickets after prices fell.



THE LONG AND SHORT of your evening coat wardrobe can be handled glamorously with these two "robes" by Raymodes. Knee-skimming gold quilted nylon tunic trench coat (left) stays at home for holiday hosting or goes out to light up a holiday party. Quilted black satin floor length robe (right) is so elegant it can venture out to any black tie gala or stay at home, teamed with silver slippers, for festive entertaining during the yuletide.



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Little Jesus, Mother told me about
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Wise Men who came to see You. I wish I could have seen
You, too. Please bless Mother and Daddy and baby
brother. And bless the whole world, too!



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Christmas to you, our
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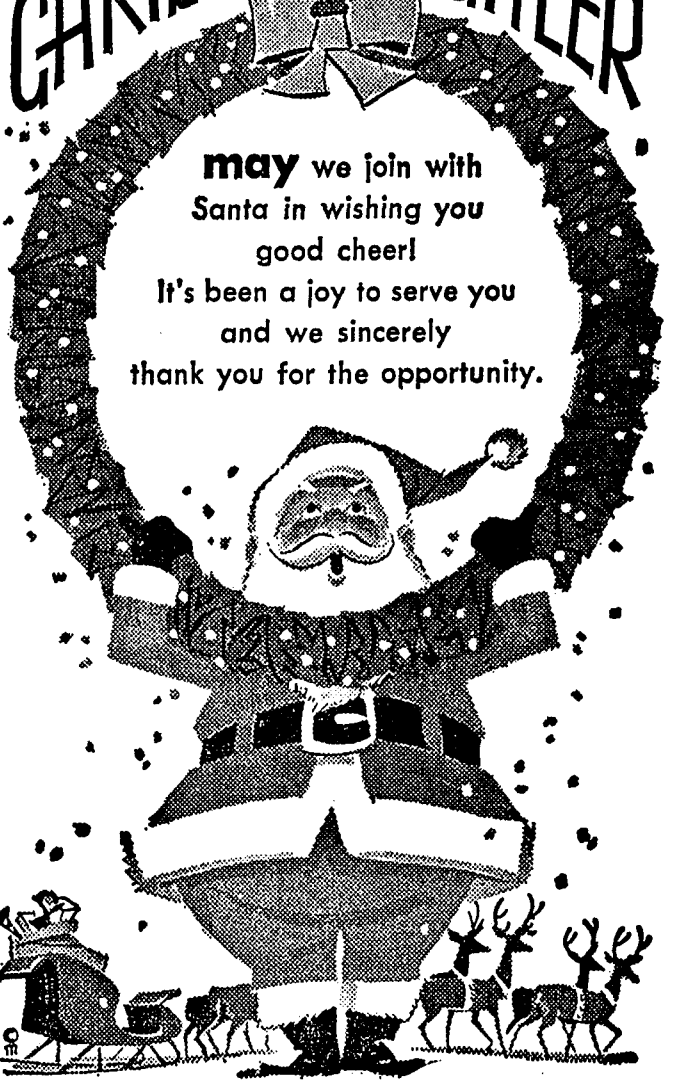


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**Students See Chicago
Not On Tourists' Path**

CHICAGO (AP)—When Christmas vacation started last week at Monmouth College, most of the 1,200 students packed their suitcases and their skis and headed home for the holidays. Eleven packed canned food and sleeping bags and came to see Chicago not Michigan Avenue or Lincoln Park Zoo, not Marina City's twin tubular apartment buildings or the Art Institute.

The group visited the Filmore District police station, Juvenile Court, a Catholic settlement home, slum areas on the South and West Side.

They listened at welfare agency meetings, talked with social workers. They saw a Chicago that a tourist never sees.

The five-day tour was arranged by the college chaplain, the Rev. Paul McClanahan, to escape from what students term "educational provincialism."

The trip was voluntary basis and has no connection with any course. It cost them \$10 each.

"The trip enables the students to become 'sensitized' to the problems of a typical great city," Rev. McClanahan said.

"I never really came in contact with slums before," said Anne McElowney, 23, a sophomore from Northampton, Mass.

After daily rounds of welfare agencies, neighborhood centers, detention homes and courtrooms; of interviews with militant civil rights leaders, welfare caseworkers, and law enforcement officials, the students talked over their experiences at night.

They ate canned chili, soup and cheese sandwiches in the basement of the Fullerton Avenue Presbyterian Church.

The consensus of the group was that Chicago is in turmoil, groping almost blindly for a solution to its problems.

"Some organizations are fighting a holding action, trying to make things better as they are," said Ken Cruickshank, 24, an English major who now plans to go into criminal law.

"Then you get people who are trying to do something really new and radical. But it all seems too little, too late," he added.

**Harry Smith To
Head Athenian
Toastmasters**

The retiring president of Athenian Toastmasters, John James, closed his year in office by being elected best speaker of the evening at the group's weekly meeting Dec. 20 at the Blackhawk restaurant.

Competing with Mr. James on the speaking program were James Wood and Melvin Akers.

The general critic Darrel J. Kisch introduced the speech evaluators John Pruet, Robert Musser and John Hembrough. Table topics were prepared by John Hembrough. The meeting was opened with invocation by Harry Smith, Toastmaster of the evening. Mr. James conducted the business meeting at which time an election of officers for the year 1967 was held. Past President Harry Smith was elected president; Robert Musser, educational vice president, and Melvin Akers, administrative vice president. John Hembrough was elected secretary and James Wood, treasurer. Richard Greife is sergeant-at-arms.

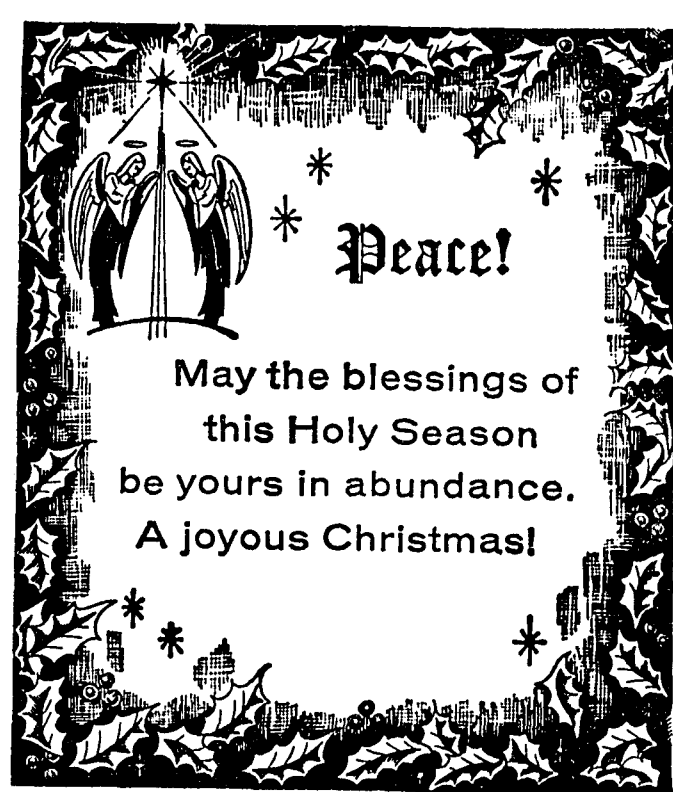
The new officers will be installed January 3, with the District 8 Governor Adam Boch installing officer. All members and friends are urged to attend. There will be no meeting December 27 due to the holiday season.



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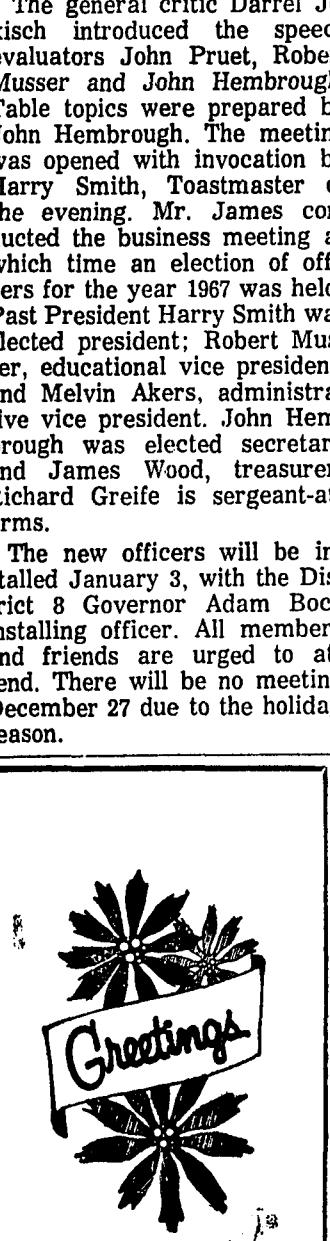


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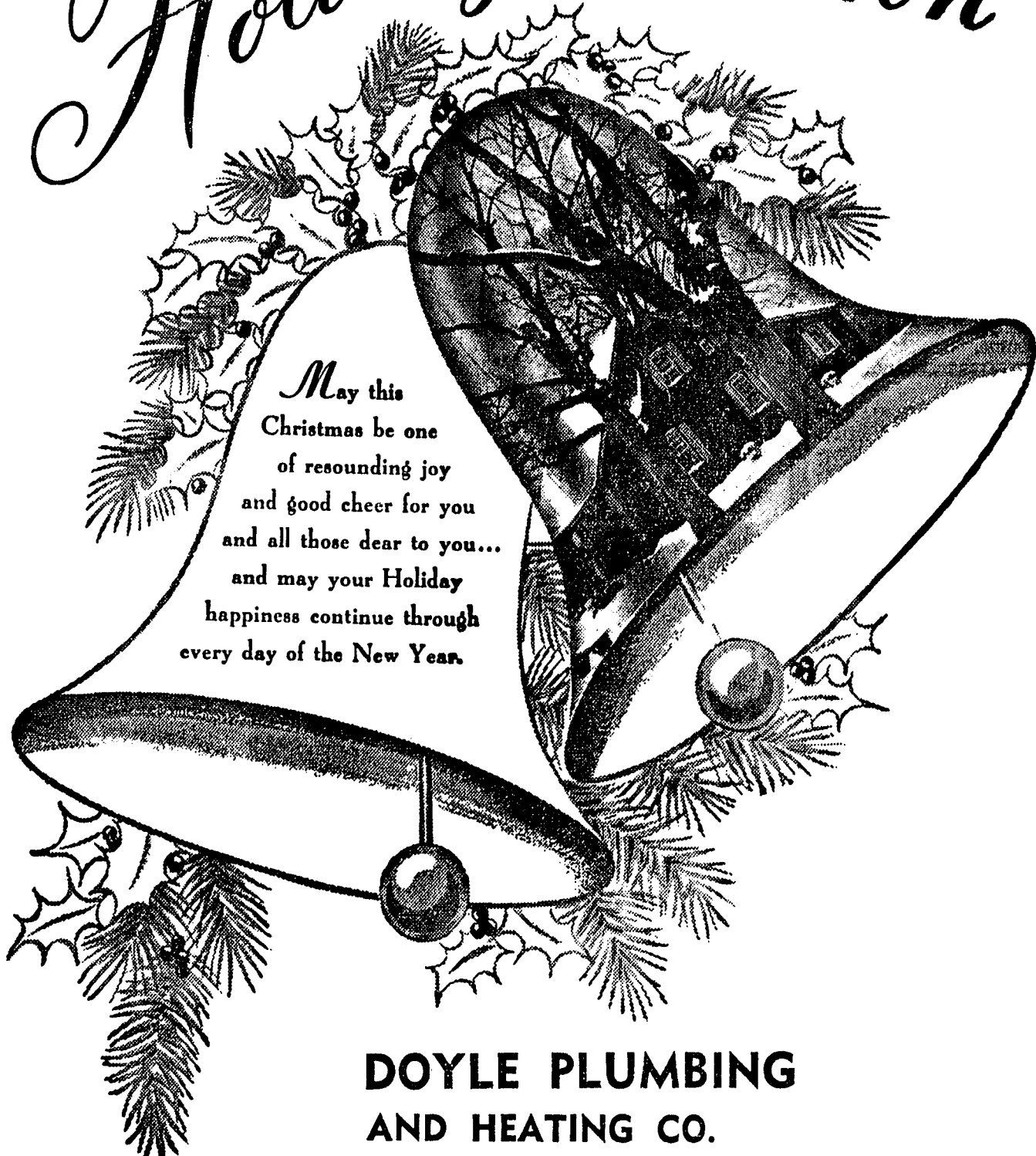
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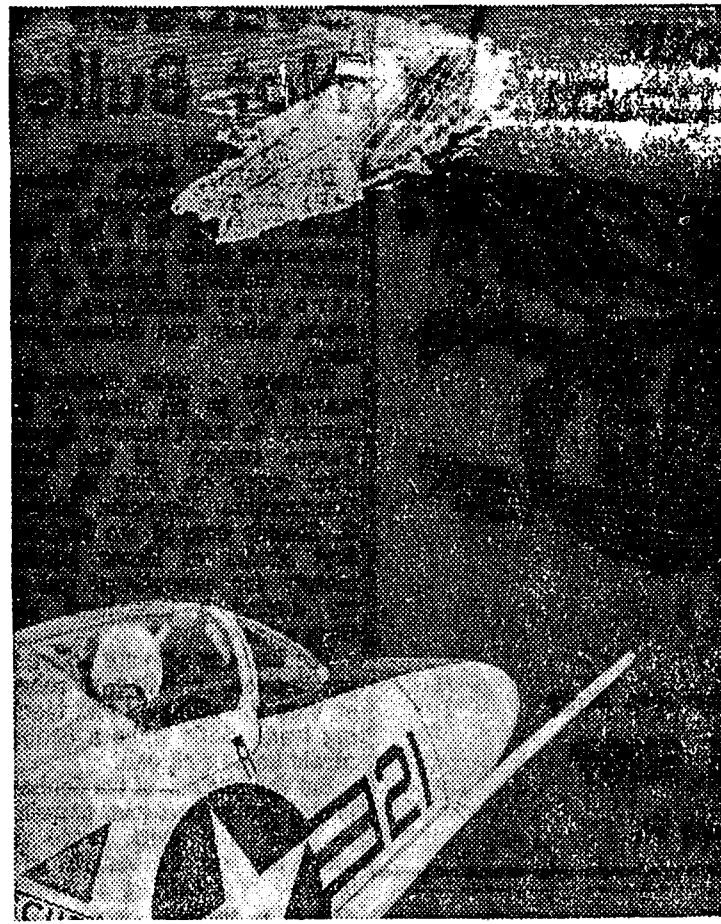
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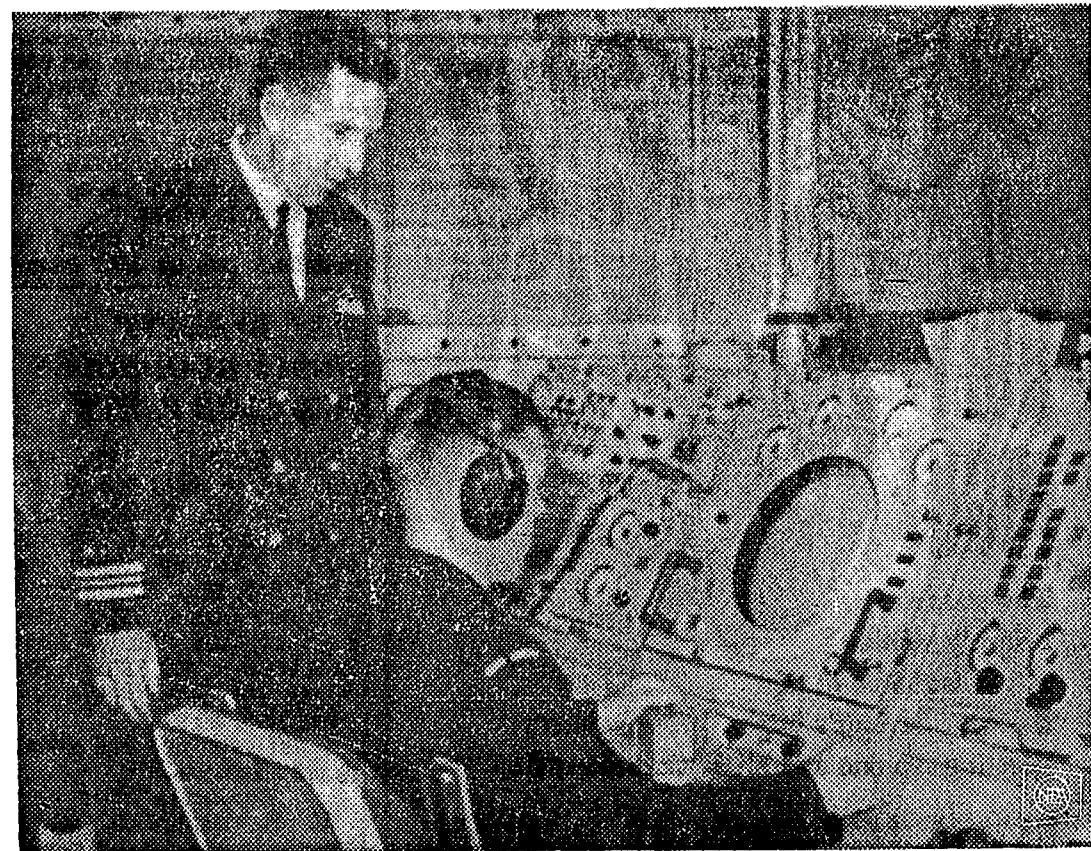


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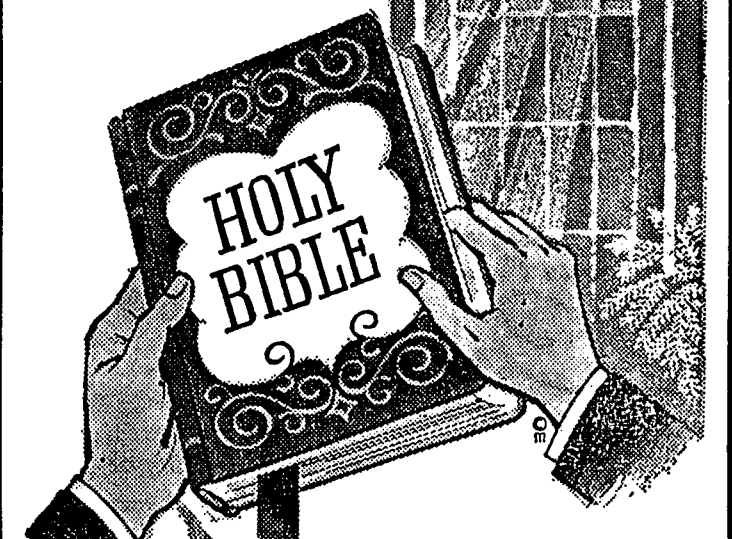
Fully automatic landings by carrier-based pilots will be routine by the end of next year, according to Navy officials. Eventually all carrier planes will be fitted for automatic landings such as were demonstrated recently in the Atlantic aboard the carrier USS America, at left. The pilot brings his airplane about four miles astern and then pushes a button which relinquishes control of his plane to the electronic gadgetry, pictured below. Radar sends signals correcting any error in the plane's glide path to the carrier. Greatest boon of the system, says the Navy, will be the added safety in night landings.



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NORTONVILLE NEWS ITEMS

NORTONVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. Billy Vedder and family of Centralia, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Vedder Jr. of rural Jacksonville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vedder.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Wells were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Seymour. Other callers were Mr. and Mrs.

Albert Killebrew who live near Waverly.

Reverend and Mrs. Calvin Kelly of White Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kelly and Doris Ann of Jacksonville were among recent visitors at the Roy Kelly home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Clayton attended a dinner meeting at the Blackhawk restaurant recently.

Mrs. Hattie Smith was a recent dinner guest of Mr. and

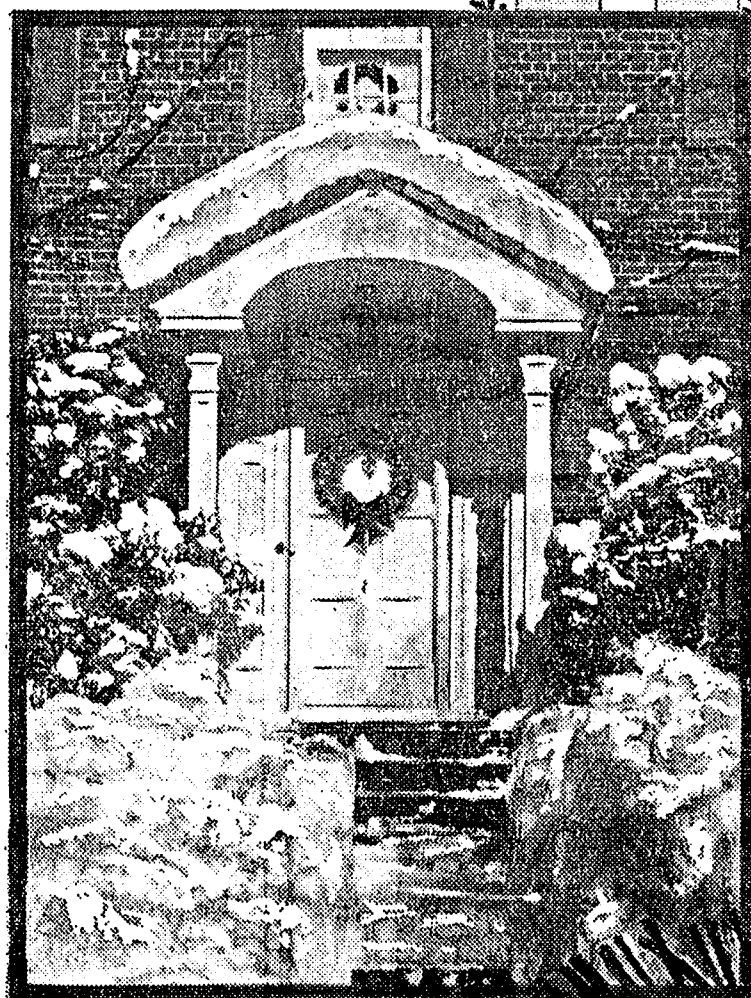
Mrs. Clyde Oxley. Bill Wells visited Richard Koehler recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger True of Houston, Tex. arrived Sunday for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert True and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jackson.

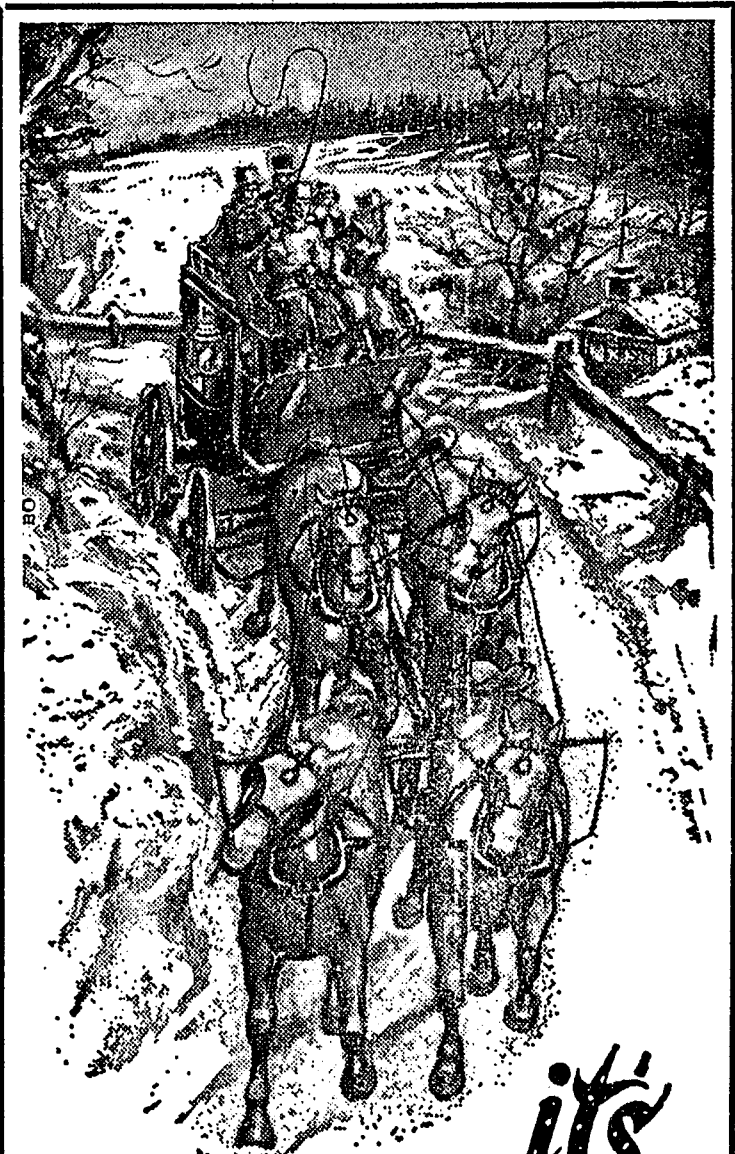
The Milky Way is a normal cluster of stars. The Milky Way's billions of stars form a huge flattened disk suggesting a pinwheel.

Merry Christmas

Doorways wear garlands of welcome... candles beckon with a hearty glow. The season of good cheer arrives, in all its friendly warmth. May the joys of Christmas be yours!



Waddell's



it's Christmas!

May Christmas bring you all the joys of the season and all the warm satisfactions of sincere friendships. We thank you for your generosity during the past year.

Mr. Eddie

Merry Christmas

Our heartiest greetings to you and yours!

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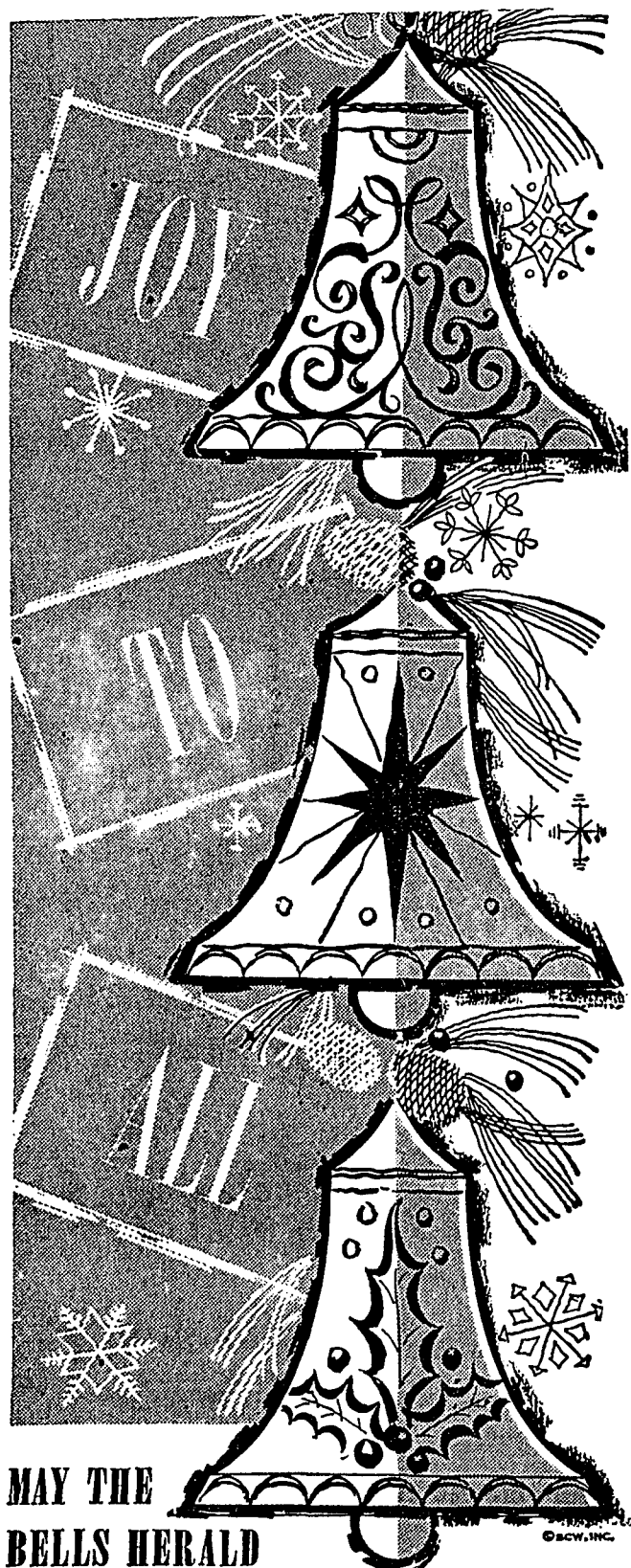
...and many thanks to all you wonderful people whose friendship has been so heartwarming during the year.

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As you spend this season with your loved ones, may great joy fill your home, and peace fill your heart.

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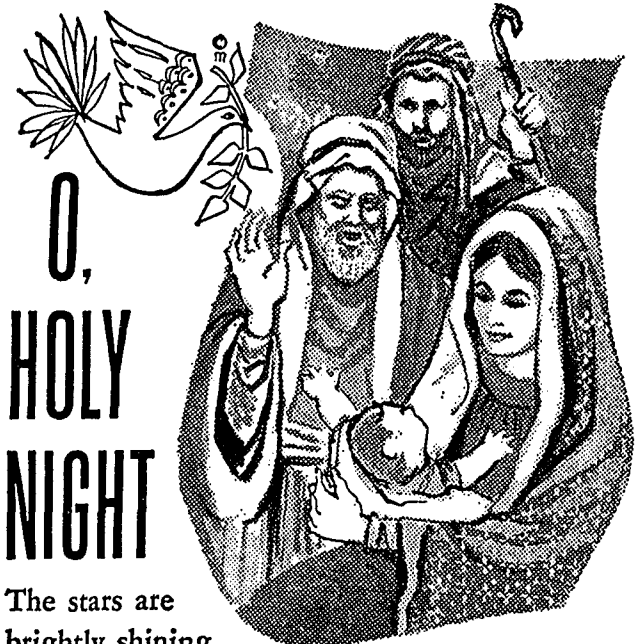
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JOY TO YOU!

May the bells of Christmas ring a message of good cheer!

Morgan County Abstract Co.

Christmas Wishes

Holiday time is a house filled with gladness, the happy lilt of welcoming voices. May this be yours on Christmas.



JOHN R. HARMON

REAL ESTATE BROKER

War In Reverse

Seabees Use Billets Not Bullets In Viet

By JOHN LENGEL
DA NANG, South Vietnam (AP) — The Seabees are in South Vietnam in a big way, conducting their own war in reverse, building instead of destroying warehouses, piers, roads, billets and defense positions.

Thirteen-man construction teams fly to all parts of the country to build remote Special Forces camps. At the Dong Xoai camp on June 10, 1965, Construction Mechanic Marvin G. Shields earned the Seabee's first Medal of Honor posthumously for exceptional gallantry during a three-hour Viet Cong attack.

The Seabees also are active in pacification, building a school or dam for villagers and teaching trade skills while a Seabee medic holds sick call.

But the nucleus of the Seabees is still the construction battalion — "C-B" for short, hence the nickname and the insignia of a bumble bee holding a wrench and machinegun.

The 700-man battalion includes steelworkers, carpenters, plumbers, electricians and engineers. Its equipment operators drive \$5 million worth of bulldozers, trucks, earthmovers, cranes and rock crushers. Battalion mechanics keep the equipment in repair.

In an eight-month period, the battalions put up 1,007 canton-

ments for Marines, 51 warehouses, a television station, roads and a dairy.

Detachments from the battalion now are building a Marine rest-and-recreation center at nearby China Beach, improving the river port at Dong Ha near the demilitarized zone, expanding the Dong Ha Marine field hospital, pouring platforms for 175mm guns on the Cam Lo River near Dong Ha and operating a concrete plant and rock quarry.

One officer of the battalion is particularly proud of the four-mile road the unit built linking the Da Nang air base with the headquarters of the 1st U.S. Marine Division. The construction took place during the monsoon season.



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MRS. EVERETT HOSTS ROODHOUSE RFD CLUB PARTY

ROODHOUSE — The RFD club met at the home of Mrs. John Everett, Tuesday, for a carry-in dinner and Christmas party. Attending were Mrs. Lloyd Bell, Mrs. Donald Smith, Mrs. Jim Bartlett, Mrs. Albert Bateman, Mrs. Charles Baird, Roodhouse, and Mrs. Fred Strang and Mrs. Garvin Day, White Hall.

A gift exchange was enjoyed in the afternoon.

Roodhouse Notes

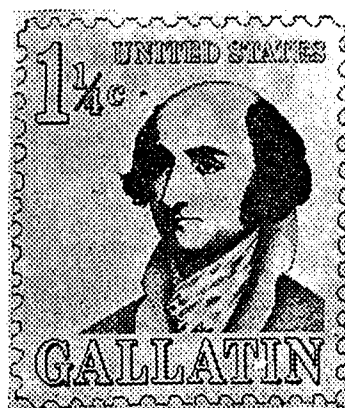
W. H. Battershell, an instructor in the Decatur schools, is expected home for the holidays which he will spend with his mother, Mrs. Fred Battershell and others.

Mr. and Mrs. George Scott drove to Norris, Monday, to attend funeral services for his brother, Joe Scott who died Friday night.

Frank Merrill, Jr., has entered the White Hall hospital for treatment.

Mrs. E. G. Smith and Mrs. Buell Ford have returned from Ecu, Miss., where they visited Mrs. Smith's aunt and husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Goodman, and others.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Smith expect to spend Christmas with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stahr, and family, Fulton, Mo.



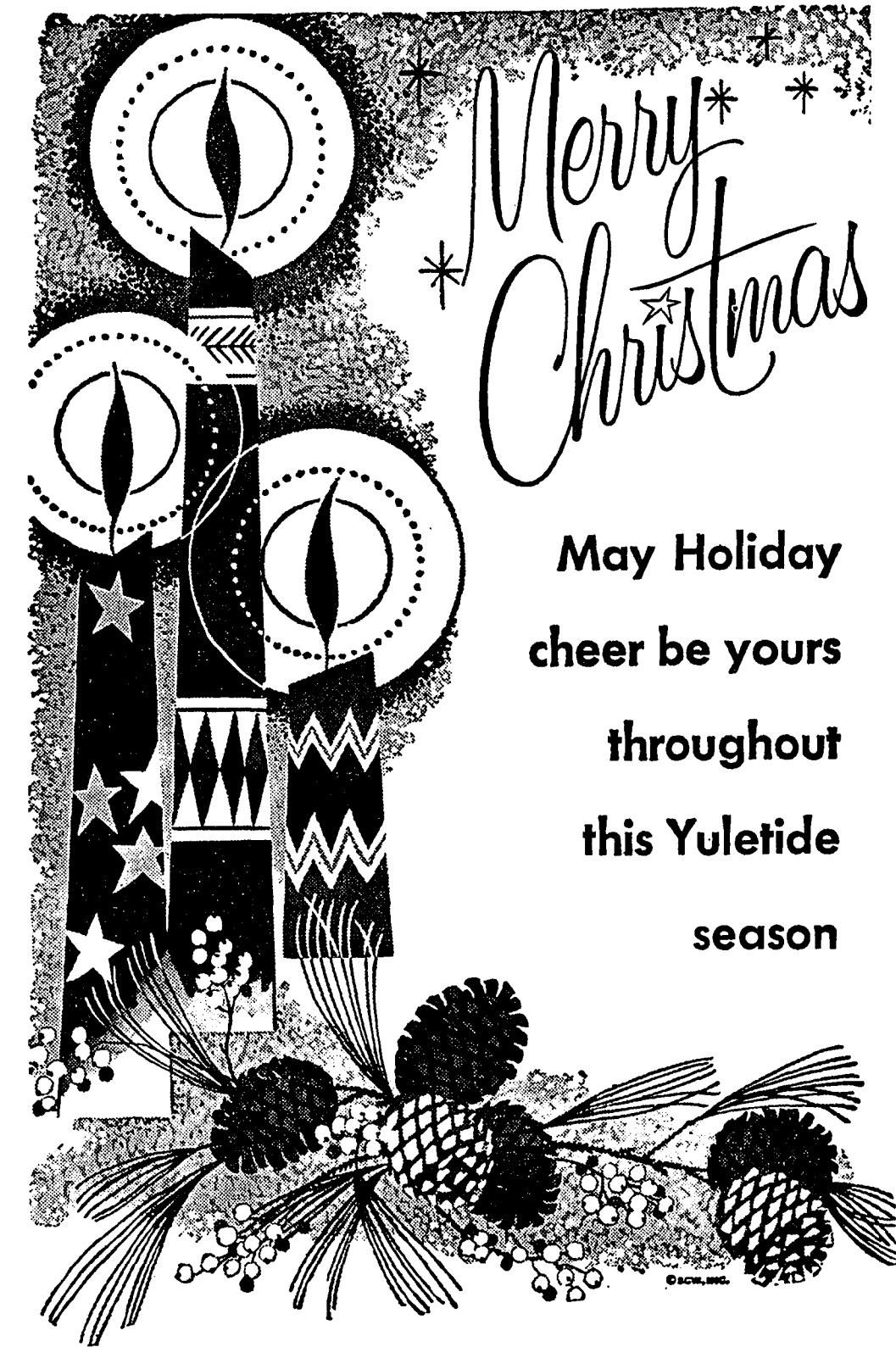
NEW POSTAGE STAMP bears the portrait of Albert Gallatin, regarded as one of America's greatest secretaries of the treasury, who served in that office from 1801 to 1814, longest tenure in history. Designer of the 1½-cent stamp was a man of common ancestry, Robert Gallatin of Columbus, Ohio. The vertical stamp will be printed in light green.



Greetings

In the spirit of this holy Christmas Day, we send greetings to all.

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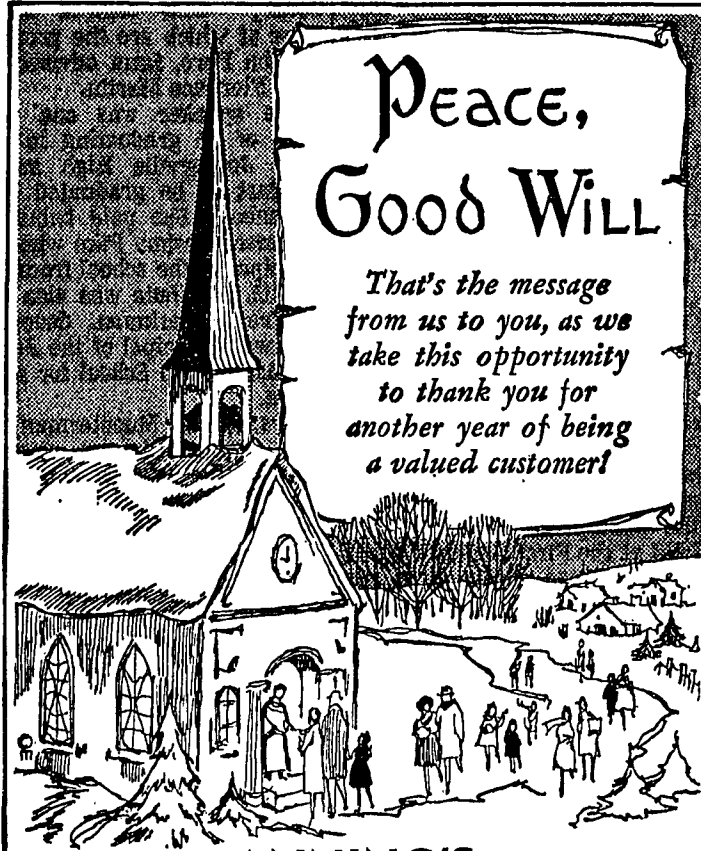
ASHLAND GROUP IN DeCOTES HOME

ASHLAND — Mrs. Armin DeCotes was hostess Dec. 20 to members of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Church of God.

Devotions were led by Mrs. Roscoe King and prayers by

Mrs. Lester Stewart, Mrs. Lawrence Blakeman and Mrs. Armin DeCotes.

The afternoon was spent socially after a potluck luncheon at noon. Secret pals were revealed and new names drawn for the coming year. A visit was made to the Burch Rest Home during the afternoon



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GIANT AIRLINER model undergoes an adjustment by a Lockheed technician before being tested again for flight characteristics in a wind tunnel at Burbank, Calif. Tests are at wind speeds of 1,800 m.p.h., the planned cruise speed of the L-200 supersonic transport, one of two airliners being designed in competition for America's entry into the international race for a giant jet. Lockheed engineers claim their SST is the "most-tested-in-advance" airliner in history.

where devotions were led by Mrs. DeCotes.

Ashland Notes

Mrs. Hattie Douglass has returned from a visit with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Douglass and other relatives at Pittsfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ratliff have returned from a two week visit with their daughter, Mrs. Margaret Mentzen and family of Meridian, Miss.

Mrs. Ethel Quinley has returned from a visit with her son, Robert and daughter in Chicago.

meeting were Mrs. Billy Orris and Mrs. Lionel Seymour. The club president, Mrs. P. O. Francis, conducted the business session.

The program, based on the Christmas story, was presented by Mrs. Claude Bolton and featured group singing of Christmas carols.

Sunshine friends revealed their identities during roll call and new names were selected for the coming year. Mrs. Keith Bolton was in charge of the 10 cent gift exchange.

The next meeting will be held Jan. 6 with Mrs. Monroe Chaudoin as hostess. Members will take items to be donated to Park Ridge School for Girls to the January meeting.

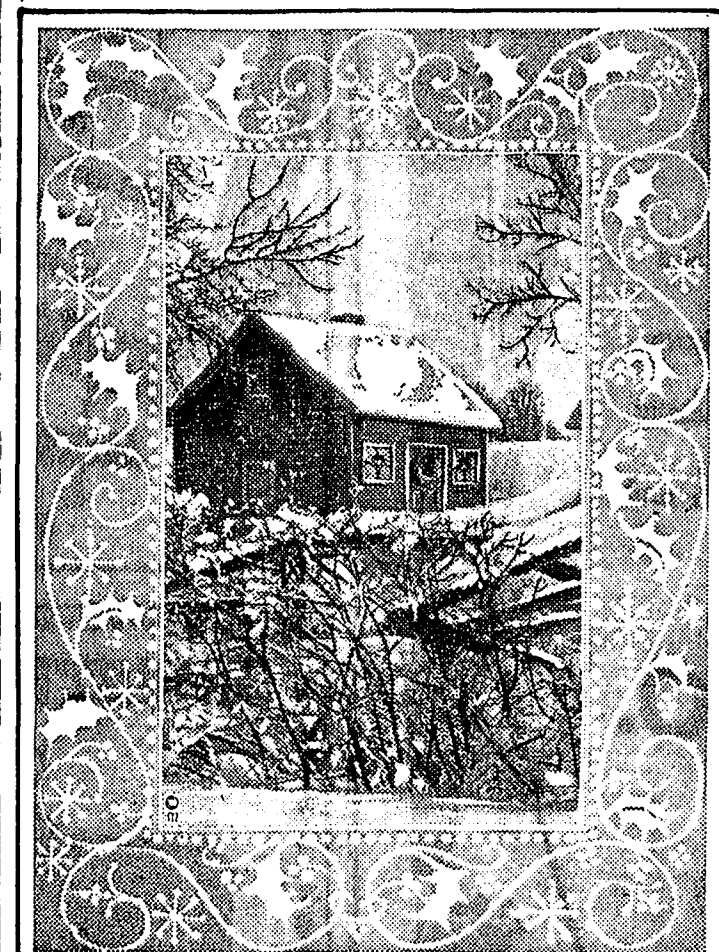
NORTONVILLE CLUB WELCOMES NEWEST MEMBERS

NORTONVILLE — Two new members of the Nortonville Woman's club were welcomed during a meeting held Dec. 9. The latest members of the group are Mrs. Russell Osborne and Mrs. Donald Grimsley.

Cymru, the Welsh nationalist party, wants Wales to become an independent dominion in the British Commonwealth.



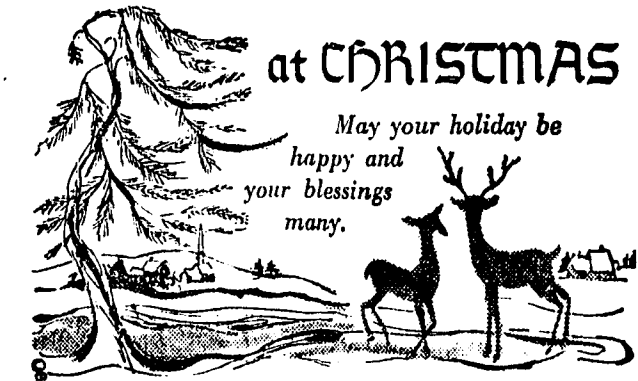
TURNING SANTA for the Red Cross Christmas party at Scott Air Force Base Hospital in Illinois is Airman Second Class Albert L. Fulcher of Independence, Mo., with the assistance of volunteer Mrs. Sandra Smith of Highland, Ill. Preparations are being made for Red Cross Christmas parties at U.S. military hospitals around the world.



Greetings

May the peace and serenity of this holiday season dwell in the hearts of all. To our customers and friends, our greetings, good wishes and grateful thanks.

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Our best wishes, our grateful thanks to all our good friends, whose loyal patronage we value so highly may your have a holiday season that's happy, hearty and healthy

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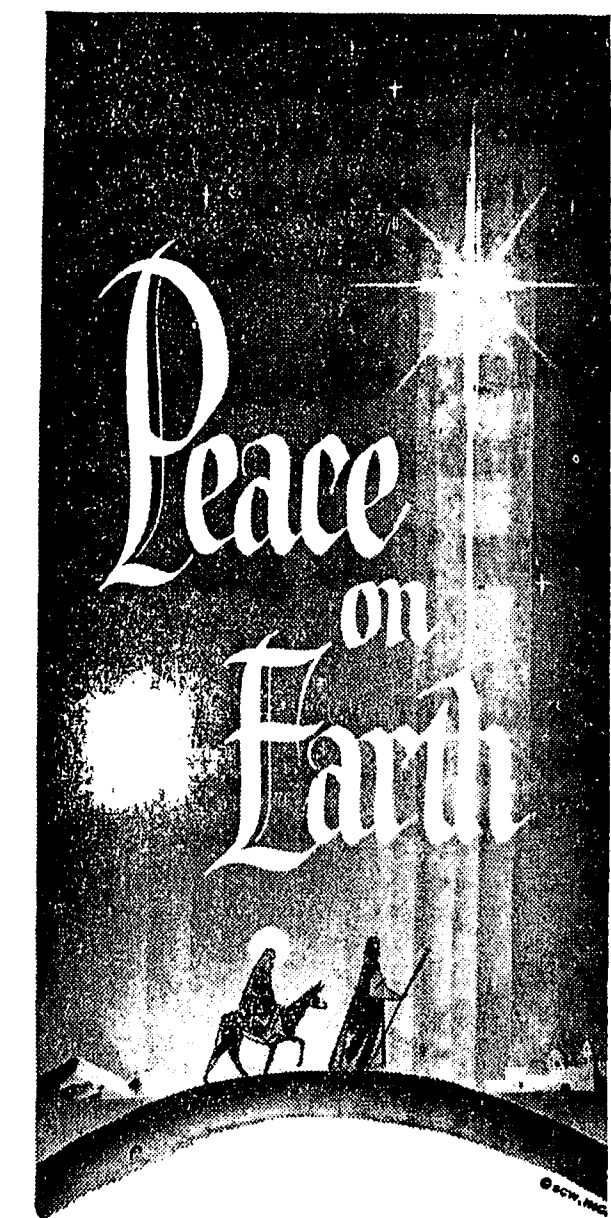
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JOY TO YOU!

May the bells of Christmas ring a message of good cheer!

ELM CITY CAFE



We pray for peace...and for blessings upon you and your loved ones at this holy Season.

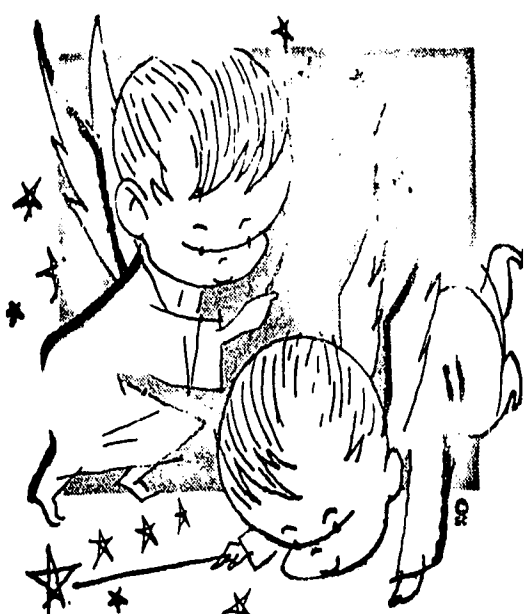
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With fond hopes that all your holiday dreams come true, we send you our best wishes for a Merry Christmas.

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Home On Leave



Donald Ralph Cook

Corporal Donald Ralph Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cook of 610 South East Street, is spending a two week leave with his parents.

A graduate of Jacksonville High school, Corporal Cook attended Southern Illinois University for one year before entering service in Sept. 1966. He completed his basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., on Nov. 10 and after attending leadership school became acting corporal in A.I.T. Combat Engineers and a squad leader training other men at the base.

Masonic Slate To Be Installed

CARROLLTON — Henry L. Brooks will be installed as worshipful master of Carrollton

Lodge 50, A.F. and A.M., in open installation ceremonies to be held at 8:30 p.m. Jan. 2. Other elective officers to be installed are Eugene Hobson, senior warden; Harry Mungall, junior warden; Herbert Widdowson, treasurer, and Fred Ems-housen, secretary.

Appointive officers to be installed are Julius Gilbert, senior deacon; George Price, junior deacon; Keith Flowers, senior steward; Herschel Giberson junior steward; George Daniels, chaplain; Kenneth Butler, marshal, and Otis Gerson, tyler.

Winter Of 1830 Contrasted With Present

JERSEYVILLE — "The winter of the deep snow — 1830-31" as described by Mrs. Ray Searls, was of especial interest to her audience at a recent meeting of the Jerseyville Woman's Club, held at the First Baptist Church. The long ago winter is in contrast to the present mild weather.

Mrs. Searls related that for one week the snow measured three feet on the level and this was followed by rain which caused a crust of ice as the thermometer stood at -12 degrees. A steady, fierce gale from the northwest lasted nine weeks and made for constant sledding.

She also reviewed the story of the Piasa Bird on the River Road, the Marquette monument, a reminder of the landing of Father Marquette at this spot in 1673. She told of the first free school in Illinois started at Otterville by Dr. Silas Hamilton,

and of the Educational Fund established by the estate of George Washington, a negro, who was raised by Dr. Hamilton. A crypt for burial in the school yard holds the remains of Dr. Hamilton, George Washington, and Gilbert Douglas, a relative of Stephen Douglas.

Mrs. Searls illustrated her talk on "The History of Jersey County" with colored slides, some of which are the property of John Pero, farm adviser and Mrs. Florence Martin.

The speaker was one of a class of 24 graduating in 1915 from Jerseyville High school, the last to be graduated from the school. She paid tribute to Professor Joshua Pike who was principal of the school from 1874 to 1915. A tribute was also paid to Frank Markman, deceased, who was principal of the Jersey Township High School for many years.

Mrs. E. J. Munsterman and Mrs. Tephon Charow, co-chairmen of the hostess committee were in charge of the carry-in luncheon preceding the meeting.

MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED IN GREENE

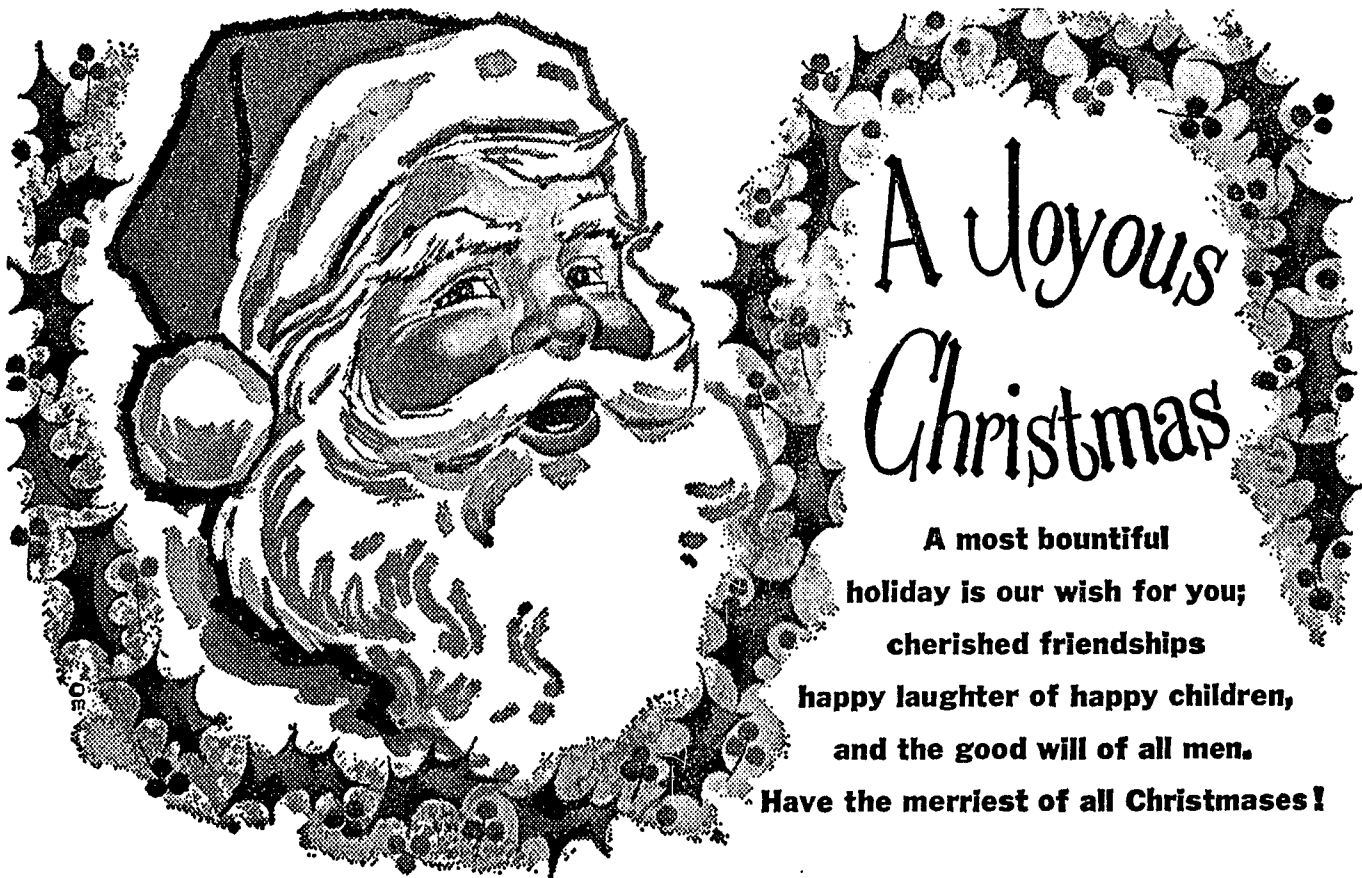
CARROLLTON — A marriage license was issued December 20 in the office of Eugene Battu to Ernest Samuel Wesolowski of Chicago and Mrs. Mary Frances Camden of Carrollton.

MERRY Christmas

It's the season of joy and good will when friends gather together for happy times. May your Christmas Holiday be filled with many such moments.



Newman's Shoes FOR THE FAMILY..



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TODAY'S THOUGHT

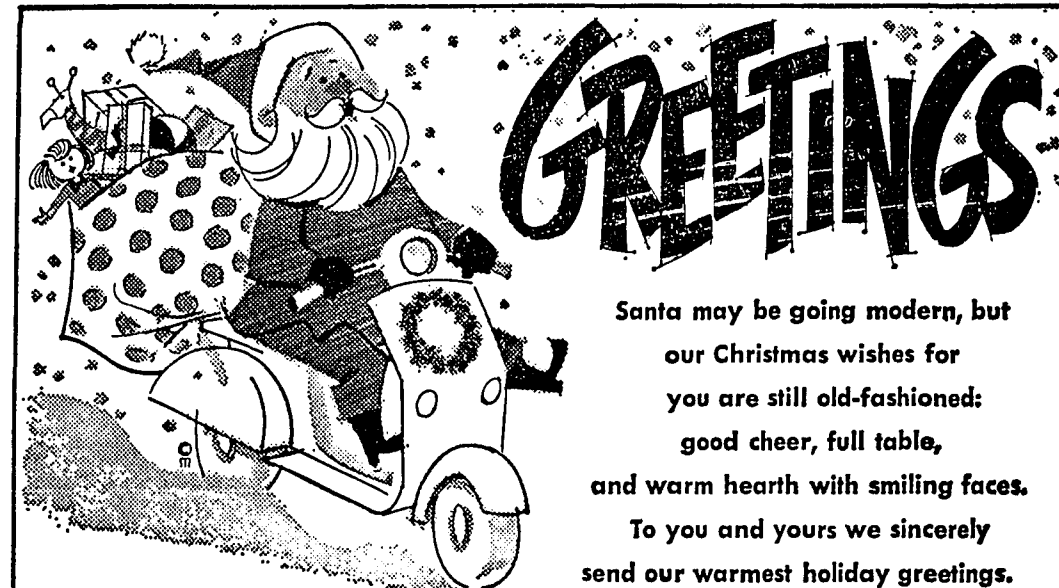
By BILL BUCHANAN

Treasured memories and family sentiment that Christmas recreates every year is one of life's greatest joys. In the midst of this joy, we hear the usual complaint that Christmas is over-commercialized. We hear the complaint that Christ has been taken out of Christmas. It is sadly true some people do ignore Him as they celebrate His birthday. These complaints seem to get nowhere, or not very far. The reason is clear. It sums up to PERSONAL acceptance or rejection of the meaning and purpose of Christmas. This verse, copied from a Christmas card, deals with this thought rather well.

May the glitter of the season
Not obscure the holy reason
For this happy celebration...
They came in haste to find the King—
Is your rush another thing?
He extends this invitation...
Come—and find the Prince of Peace.
Let the needless turmoil cease,
Find for life a dedication.

With these borrowed words, we hope that those of you who read this, may have the everlasting joy of Christmas in your heart always...

BILL W. BUCHANAN, GILLHAM-BUCHANAN FUNERAL HOME, 326 W. State St., Phone 245-5171.



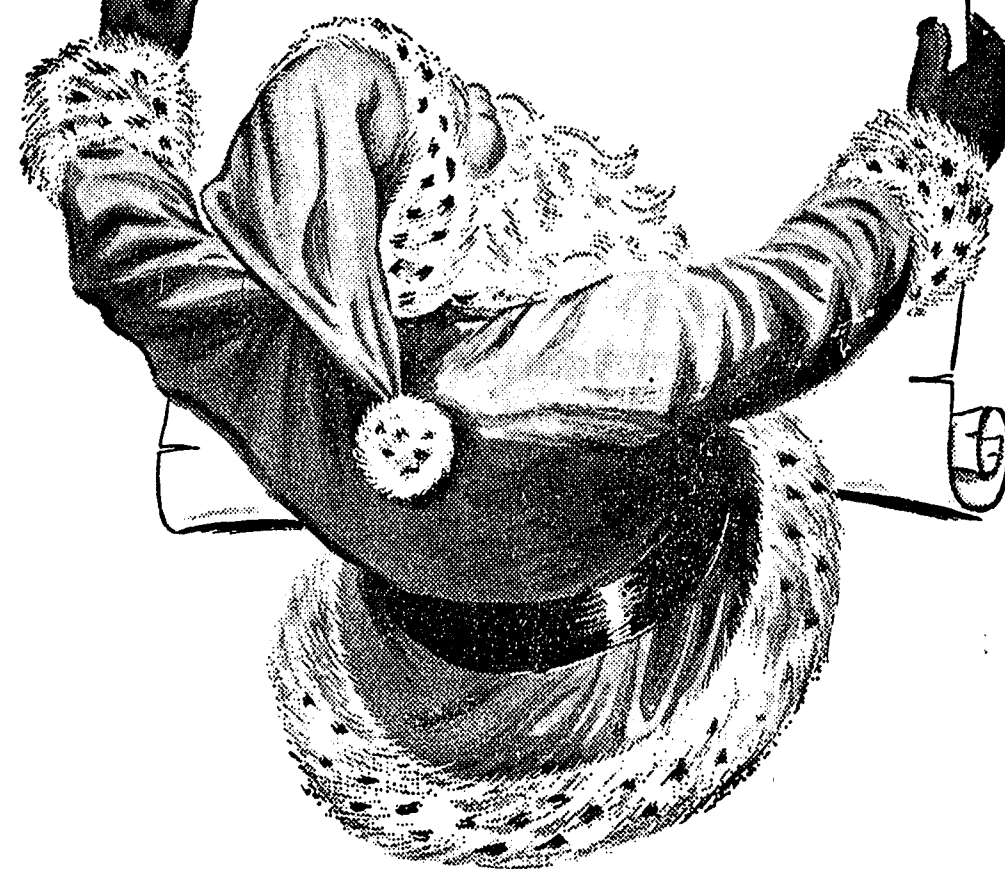
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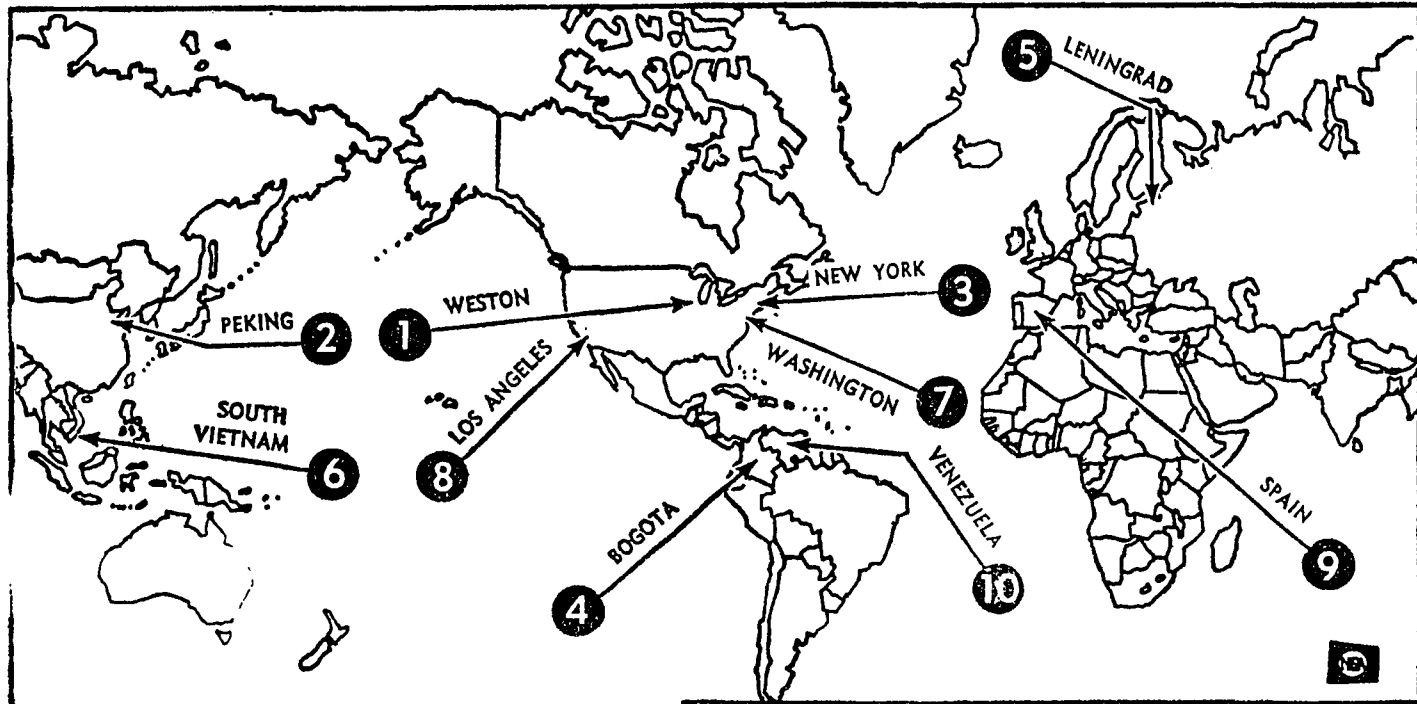


The jargon was mostly pit stop, but the student mechanics wore black habits and rosary beads. A group of 25 New York City nuns who teach in parochial grammar schools had enrolled in an automotive mechanics class to learn more about the automotive components so they could pass the knowledge along to their students. Instructor was Ford Motor Co.'s Robert Fritts, of the New York district office, who gave classroom lectures, at left, explained individual auto parts, lower left, and let the nuns do some of the mechanical work themselves, below.



HOW'S YOUR NOSE FOR NEWS?

A big news story broke recently in each of the spots marked on the map below. As a reader or student, check your memory and your knowledge by identifying the news events. The clues given in the box below will help.



What occurred where? Study the map and match the numbers with the events listed in the box at right. Score yourself 10 points for each correct answer.

A score of 50—you're fairly hep. A score of 70—you're pretty sharp. A score of 90 or more—congratulations to a real news hawk!

- MATCH 'EM UP**
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In Selling Illinois

Cocktail Party Route Not On Graves' List

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (AP)—Gene Graves, director of the Illinois Department of Business and Economic Development, disdains the cocktail party and pheasant-under-glass route in selling the state.

His approach to gaining industrial, business and federal locations in Illinois is a sophisticated recital of the state's assets.

"We have no policy of wining and dining," he said in an interview. "It happens only rarely. We like to think we recognize problems of communities and business, and the last thing those people want is a night on the town."

He doesn't regard himself as a super-salesman even though his department, with Gov. Otto Kerner and others, played a major role in the Atomic Energy Commission's selection of Westinghouse as the site of a \$375 million nuclear accelerator.

To land Westinghouse, Illinois had to convince the National Academy of Sciences and the Atomic Energy Commission of the community's all-around merits, Graves said.

"I don't believe partisan politics play any part in it. The AEC was statesmanlike in handling this procedure," he said.

Graves, 38, a handsome, dark-haired man, is an articulate spokesman for the state's wares who avoids the brash sales pitch.

"There's no problem selling Illinois," he said. "What we sell are the facts and we don't try to color them. We don't have to."

Before becoming the first director of the department, created in 1963, Graves was a school teacher, a salesman for a St. Louis manufacturer of plastic bags used in the grain industry, and a labor relations representative for Ford Motor Co.

He also was a consultant and coordinator of community development at the Edwardsville campus of Southern Illinois University.

Oak Ridge's famous X-10 reactor, which produced fissionable plutonium for the first atomic bomb will be preserved as a national historic landmark.

More than \$20 million worth of candles are sold in the United States each year.

NEWS QUIZ MAP ANSWERS

IN RED CLUTCHES—Two American tourists plead guilty to currency violations in Leningrad, face 8-year prison terms. (5)

EMBARGO ADOPTED—U.N. Security Council invokes mandatory economic sanctions against Rhodesia in attempt to crush rebel white-minority regime. (3)

BOON FOR VILLAGE—Weston, Ill., is chosen over 200 other communities as site of Atomic Energy Commission's \$375 million atom smasher. (1)

LEGACY OF JOY—Walt Disney, master of fantasy and entertainment, dies at 65. (8)

BAD NEWS FOR REDS—First contingent of 15,000-man 9th Division lands in South Vietnam in troop build-up. (6)

EATH RIDES IN FOG—Eighteen of 60 passengers die as airliner crashes in fog near Bogota, Colombia. (4)

HELP FOR REDS?—Red China renews pledge to send troops into Vietnam if Hanoi asks for them. (2)

CRACKDOWN ON TERROR—Venezuela widens drive on Castroite Communist guerrilla terrorists. (10)

LBJ LOSES AIDE—White House press secretary Bill Moyers quits post to become newspaper publisher on Long Island. (7)

TASTE DEMOCRACY—Record turnout of voters approves Spain's new constitution by 93 per cent margin. (9)

20 AT MEETING OF ARENZVILLE EXTENSION UNIT

ARENZVILLE—Twenty members of the Arenzville Homesteaders Extension Unit held a potluck supper at their December meeting held at the home of Mrs. Richard Bartholomew Dec. 15.

Program sheets designating meeting places and lessons for

1967 were filled out, the members indicating their choice of topics and months to hostess the meetings.

The Cass County Homesteaders Extension annual meeting was announced for February 21, to be held at the Methodist Church in Virginia.

A nominating committee was appointed to prepare a slate of candidates for unit officers, to be presented at the January meeting. Committee members are Mrs. Eugene Farmer, Mrs. Ronald Kershaw, and Mrs. Ray Luconic.

Lesson sheets, "Christmas in Mexico," were distributed. A gift exchange was held, and the remainder of the evening spent socially.

music instructor, directing and Marilyn Fulton and Cynthia Evans as accompanists.

Children participating were Greg Lepper, Carol Akerlund, Keith Campbell, Bobby Springer, Richard Lange, David Balance, Debbie Clemons, Tom Doolin, Kitty Fox, John Spradlin, Jeanne Thornley, Greg Blakeman, Cindy Devlin, Patricia Wankel, Miza Chatara, Terry Levert, Charles Meyer, Donald Petefish, Daryl Jean Ring, Keith Burklow, Jeff Cosner, Gail Elliott, Roger Fry, Robert Hannel, Bob Johnson, Linda Jurgens, Cheryl Long Carolyn Mallicoat, Greg Way, Carolyn Klein, Frances Dalton, Douglass Elliott, Mary Fry, Alan Gardner, Kathy Gardner, Steve Theivagt, Paul Durako, Anje Hillen, Gloria Newman, Harry Weber, Rosemary Miller, Mike Woolridge.

Grade school teachers assisting with the program were: Mrs. Adams, Mrs. McCoy, Mrs. Gardner, Mrs. Deen, Miss Viands, Mrs. Leonard, Mrs. Tasker, Mrs. Cosner, Mrs. Bennett, Miss Hermetet, Mr. Gann, Ralph Warren, Raymond McGraw, Mrs. Sara Allen, Burles Bennett and Mrs. Daubard.

Santa Claus appeared on the scene and treats were distributed to the children.

Ashland Notes
Mrs. Clifford English returned home Tuesday from Hartford, Ky., where she had taken her husband to Ft. Knox, Ky., where he is in the Armed Forces. They had spent a few days with their parents at Hartford, Ky.

James Creed, who is stationed at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., is spending a furlough with his wife and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter John Creed, and other relatives.

Muriel King, who has been an observation patient in the Memorial hospital, Springfield, for several days, returned to his home here Monday afternoon.

TAU UPSILON NAMES OFFICERS AT DINNER PARTY

GREENFIELD—The Tau Upsilon club met at the home of Mrs. Howard Parks Monday for a Christmas dinner. Mrs. Harland Edwards was assistant hostess. Live poinsettias, tall red tapers and green nut cups decorated the dining table. A gift exchange was held during the afternoon social hour.

Present were Mrs. Dean Foster, Mrs. Frank Henderson, Mrs. L. E. Middleton, Mrs. Fay Melvin, Mrs. William Metcalf, Mrs. Mildred Vandaveer, Mrs. Cressa Tendick, Mrs. Bessie Meng, Mrs. G. F. Wilhite, Mrs. Frank Greer and one guest, Mrs. Jeff West of Miami, Fla.

Officers elected for the 1967 year are: Pres. Mrs. Harland Edwards; Secretary-treasurer, Mrs. G. F. Wilhite; reporter, Mrs. Howard Parks; flower committee, Mrs. Middleton and Mrs. Vandaveer.

THIRTY ATTEND ASHLAND REBEKAH CHRISTMAS PARTY

ASHLAND—Thirty members of the local Rebekah lodge were in attendance at the Christmas potluck supper held Dec. 15 in the library club rooms. Prayer was offered by Louise Quinley.

After the business session, a short program was presented with Daisy Thompson and Almeda Watkins in charge. Others participating in the program were Lorena Bailey, Eula Fitzsimmons, Louise Quinley, Rose Hinds and Sarah Reside with Mrs. Leta Hammack as accompanist. A gift exchange was enjoyed by members.

Ashland Notes
Dr. Carl M. Lind and Edwin Merritt left Saturday morning for a week's hunting trip to Canada. Raymond Bloomfield and nephew, Don Bloomfield of this city, accompanied by two men from Missouri also left Saturday to hunt deer in Canada.

Mrs. Raymond Bloomfield returned home Saturday from Miami, Florida where she had been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Allen of Peoria spent last Thursday and Friday here with the former's mother, Mrs. Carrie Allen and with a brother Harold and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Douglass were called to Bluff Springs Sunday afternoon by the serious illness of the latter's father A.

B. Carls, a former Ashland resident.

Billie Jane Frye, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Frye (nee Jane Baxter, formerly of this city), of Homewood, was honored at a luncheon in The Lipton Room of the Stock Yards Inn recently. For the second year in a row, Billie was named Youth Champion in the five-gaited division of the Midwest Horseman's Association.

GREENE EXTENSION COUNCIL HIRES YOUTH ADVISER

CARROLLTON—Larry Coon, 29, of Roodhouse accepted the position of youth adviser Tuesday evening at a joint meeting of the Agricultural Extension Council and the Homemaker's Extension Council held in the Farm Bureau building.

Coon is employed by the cooperative extension service of the University of Illinois and will work with home economics and agricultural clubs.

He is married and the father of two children. The family will live in Roodhouse for the present.

Prior to accepting the position, Coon was employed as a hog buyer by Armour and Company in Roodhouse. He is a 1959 graduate of the Oklahoma State University with a B.S. degree in Agriculture.

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WWI Barracks At White Hall Installs Officers

WHITE HALL—Mrs. Verna B. Taylor was installed in recent ceremonies at the American Legion Home as President of World War 1 Auxiliary 343.

Other officers are Mrs. Crystal White, junior vice president; Gertrude Davis, senior vice president; Hazel Deavers, secretary; Evelyn Marshall, chaplain; Florence Wyatt, conductress; Margaret Hammon, guard and Bernice Jackson, trustee.

Appointive officers are: historian, Kay Parker; membership chairman, Crystal White; legislative chairman, Evelyn Marshall; hospital chairman,

Hazel Deavers; social chairman, Florence Wyatt and patriotic instructor, Rose Newingham.

Mrs. Kathryn Fellers of Granite City, past national president served as installing officer. Marian Sandefer of Belleville, senior vice-president, Dept. of Illinois, was installing conductress and Mary Breidenbach of Granite City, served as installing chaplain.

Members of the World War I Barracks 343 held a joint dinner with the auxiliary prior to the installation.

The next meeting will be held at the Legion Home on Dec. 28, a joint meeting of the Barracks and Auxiliary with Mrs. Florence Wyatt, social chairman in charge of entertainment.

The willow ptarmigan is the state bird of Alaska.



Like the calm contentment of a snowy landscape, may you and yours have the serene peacefulness of Blessed Christmas.

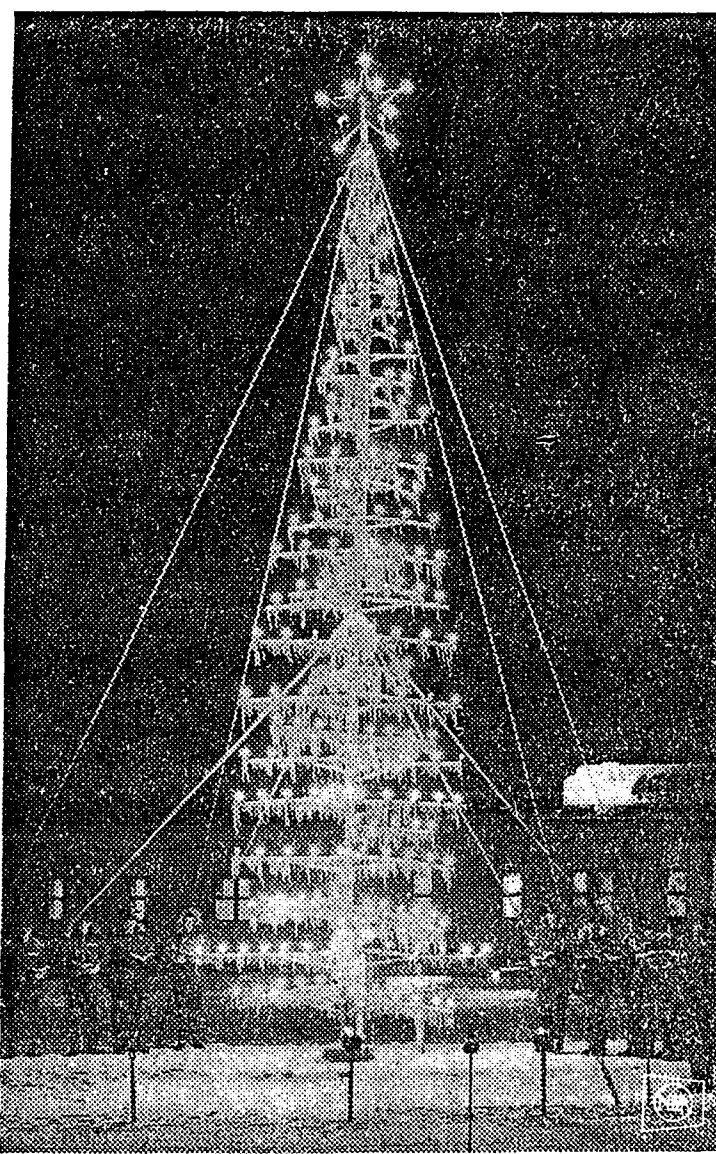
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WE WISH YOU ALL A JOYOUS HOLIDAY

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PIPE DREAMS of a merry holiday spawned this makeshift Christmas tree at Thule Air Force Base in Greenland. In a land where no vegetation grows, servicemen built their own 45-foot tree out of steel pipe, adorned it with more than 300 colored lights, and sprayed water on it to make real icicles.

MERRITT WSCS GROUP MEETS AT ROLF HOME

MERRITT — The W.S.C.S. of the Methodist Church in Merritt held a December meeting and Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rolf recently.

Mrs. Lonnie Kitzelman presided over the meeting. "I Need Thee Every Hour" was sung with Mrs. Mary Simpson at the piano. The Lord's Prayer was recited in unison. The min- Mrs. Mabel Hornbeck and roll utes for November were read by

call was answered with a Bible verse. Mrs. Mary Burbank of Tacoma, Washington, and Mrs. Velma Hardwick were guests.

Mrs. Sallie Simpson had charge of communications and gave a report on the Langleyville Home. Mrs. Mary Simpson read the Christmas Story from the Scriptures. Mrs. Evelyn Longenbaugh read the following Christmas Stories: "A Brother Like That," "The Lost Melody," "The Incident on Fourth Street," "The Winner," two Christmas poems and the story of "Silent Night."

The next W.S.C.S. meeting will be held in January at the home of Mrs. Verena Berry.

ARTHUR WILSON OF MURRAYVILLE MARKS BIRTHDAY

MURRAYVILLE—Arthur Wilson was guest of honor at a surprise birthday party Dec. 16 at his home.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Spencer of White Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schallenberg of Roodhouse, Miss Lydia Wilson, Mrs. William Gibson and Maurice Hayes of Jacksonville, Mrs. Josie Hayes and Murrell, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wilson and Jim and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilson of Murrayville.

Refreshments of ice cream, cake, coffee and tea were served by Mrs. Wilson.

Murrayville Notes
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kimbrell of Champaign spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Irene Atkinson.

Sp-5 and Mrs. Robert Bown, Susan, Robbie and Betty of Fort Carson, Colo., are spending a Christmas leave here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Summers and also visiting his parents in Palmyra.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sunderland were dinner guests Sunday of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Shoopman in Mt. Sterling.

Mrs. Eloise Cain and Mrs. Sadie Million called on Mrs. Ida Ketner in Jacksonville Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Lana Blimbing, a student at Western Illinois University at Macomb came home Friday for the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Blimbing and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hall attended the wedding Sunday afternoon of their grandson Gary Chaudoin and Miss Nancy Albers at the Grace Baptist church in Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Miller and LeeAnn were dinner guests Sunday of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Moulton and Gregg in Roodhouse.

CAROLING CHOIR VISITS HOME OF ALEXANDER WOMAN

ALEXANDER — Members of the First Church of God choir, Jacksonville, visited the evening of Dec. 18th at the home of Mrs. C. E. Keenan to greet her with carols. The Alexander resident has been ill but has improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Steagall, Ricky and Robin and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stapleton left Tuesday for Sarasota, Fla. The Steagalls will return before Jan. 1st and Mr. and Mrs. Stapleton will spend the winter in the South.

Miss Gola Withers will spend the winter months with Mrs. C. E. Keenan.

Guests Dec. 18th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Kumble were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Allan of Alton; Mrs. Mary Coe, Springfield; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Coe, Springfield and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Coe and family, Jacksonville.

Greenfield OES Installs New Slate Of Officers

GREENFIELD—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Goodman were installed worthy patron and matron of Greenfield Eastern Star Chapter in ceremonies held Saturday evening in the Masonic hall. They were honored in song by Mrs. Jack Barkley, past matron of Medora City Chapter, accompanied by Mrs. Virginia Rhine, and presented flowers from the chapter.

Mrs. James McKenzie, junior past matron and Clyde Cole, junior past patron, welcomed members and friends.

Serving as installing officer was Mrs. Clyde Cole, assisted by Mrs. Grover Bauer, marshal; Mrs. Russell Morrow, chaplain; Mrs. M. D. Roth, organist and Mrs. William Elmore, color bearer. Escorts were J. Russell Shields, Russell Morrow, and G. L. Bauer, all past matrons and patrons of the Greenfield chapter.

Other officers installed were Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Bowman, associate patron and matron; Mrs. G. L. Bauer, secretary; Mrs. Fay Melvin, treasurer; Mrs. Rosemary Reed, conductress; Mrs. Stanley Maupin, associate conductress; Mrs. Helen Wilton, chaplain; Mrs. James McKenzie, marshal; Mrs. Wallace Davenport, organist.

Mrs. William Elmore, Adah; Mrs. Don Andrews, Ruth; Mrs. June Kessey, Esther; Mrs. Keith Sanson, Martha; Mrs. Russell Burger, Electa; Stanley Maupin, warder; Russell Burger, sentinel; Mrs. Kenneth Woodkirk, color bearer.

Refreshments were served following the ceremonies by Mrs. Robert Brown, Mrs. Lester Springman, Mrs. Sylvia Bragg, Mrs. James McKenzie, Mrs. Clyde Cole and Mrs. James Nash.

CAROL KROHE IS BEARDSTOWN STUDENT OF MONTH

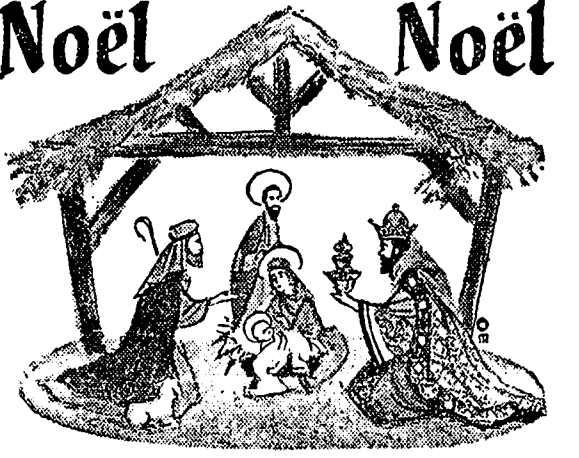
BEARDSTOWN — Miss Carol Krohe, a senior at Beardstown High School, has been named student of the month for December.

She moved here in 1965 from Phoenixville, Pa., and is the daughter of retired Col. and Mrs. Theodore (Ted) Krohe, 600 Lafayette street.

She has been active in school with the Future Teachers of America, G.A.A. and chorus in her junior and senior years.

A member of St. Alexius Catholic church, she plans to attend Illinois State Normal University following high school graduation.

Noël Noël



At this glad Christmastide, we wish for you the great gifts of faith renewed and spirit uplifted by the joy and promise of His holy birth.

B. F. GOODRICH



What we want from Santa is more great people like you! Many, many thanks!

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Warm and sincere greetings, from all of us to all of you, and many thanks, too.

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BEST WISHES FOR Christmas

The Christmas spirit glows brightly. Happy surprises come forth from the gaily-wrapped presents that express the sentiment and love that Christmas inspires, filling us all with the joy of giving and sharing. With this thought in mind, we would like to share with you the good will and good wishes of the season. Sincere greetings.

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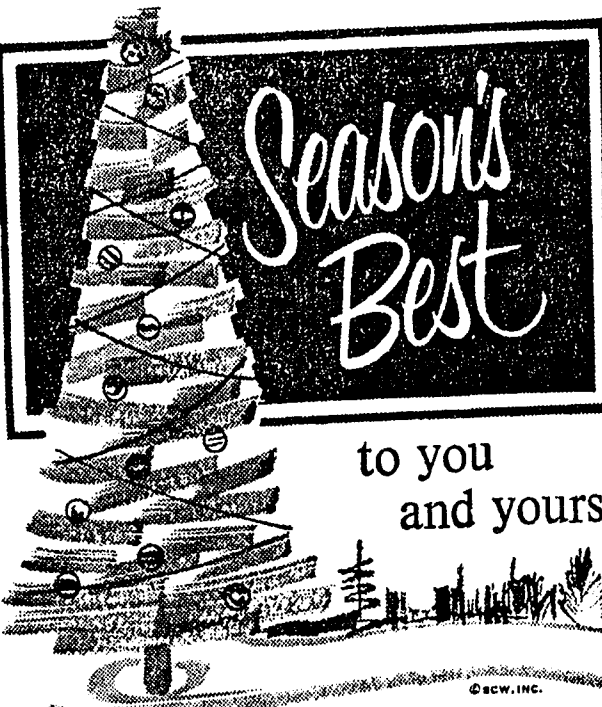
Teresa Robinson



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Our wish to you this happy season: days full of joyous holiday spirit, a heart brimming with good will for all, and a host of friends, both old and new. A very Merry Christmas to you and yours.

Greetings FOR Christmas



WE WISH OUR FRIENDS AND PATRONS THE MERRIEST CHRISTMAS EVER AND A HOLIDAY SEASON FILLED WITH GOOD CHEER.

OUR GRATEFUL THANKS TO ALL

ROY and GEORGE FLORENCE



OKIE CHRISTMAS TREE is trimmed by Jane Jayroe, native Oklahoman and current Miss America, at Cypress Gardens, Fla. The giant cactus decorated for Christmas was a prickly backdrop for the Oklahoma beauty dressed in a hoop skirt like a southern belle.

Christmas Every Day Not Much Fun

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP)—Once upon a time there was a little boy who wouldn't let go of Christmas.

"Christmas is so much fun," he wrote in a letter to the congressman of his choice. "Why can't I have it more often? In fact, why can't I have Christmas forever?"

The congressman, obeying the ritual of survival, sent the request through appropriate government channels.

These responses came:

"Please inform your young constituent the Department of the Treasury has given his thoughtful request every consideration, but Christmas is a red ink operation from the federal level, and we respectfully suggest he direct his inquiry to an appropriate local or regional agency of government."

"The Department of Defense, while realizing that Christmas is certainly part of, if not paramount in, our national posture of defense, must point out that our total posture of defense requires an investment of entire attitude inconsistent with acceptance of your constituent's interesting proposal. However, we are constantly in a position of reassessing our goals, and if, on further mature consideration, we find that...you may rest assured...we will perhaps..."

"Confidential Memo: While not taking any official position in the matter, the Federal Bureau of Investigation does not have your constituent on its 10-most-wanted-fugitives list, as of now. A further check has disclosed that, so far as our files show, his fingerprints are his own. Strictly for your information, we will keep an eye on this boy and, should developments require a re-evaluation of the situation, you may rest assured that..."

"The President, while feeling personally unable at the moment to grant your constituent's request for a permanent Christmas, since the Congress has not seen fit to declare it a continuing emergency, would like to enclose a souvenir pen from the White House used in the signing of a recent and appropriate appropriation. Also would suggest putting this kid on the permanent mailing list. Sooner or later, he may be able to vote."

By chance, during a cocktail party in Washington, D.C., the secretary of the congressman mentioned the little boy's letter to the public relations counsel of a national foundation for the furtherance of interesting causes.

"So he wants Christmas forever," mused the public relations counsel. "This sounds like the gimmick we need to prove that private enterprise still has an arena of performance. What is that lad's name and ZIP code number?"

Well, guess what happened? The foundation went to work to prove it could do what the government couldn't do—grant Christmas forever to one small boy.

It hired Santa Claus to climb down the chimney of the little boy's home every night, and the tinkle of sleigh bells was never absent from his ear, going and coming.

It sent gifts and packages by special delivery mail and messenger every hour on the hour.

The little boy's stomach became surfeited with goodies. His finger became burned from plucking plums out of warm puddings. His hands were red and raw from breaking strings that held together brightly wrapped packages. His room overflowed with unused toys.

The look of gladness died out of his eyes.

He wrote a private letter to Santa Claus:

"Please stay at the North Pole. I don't want any more Christmas."

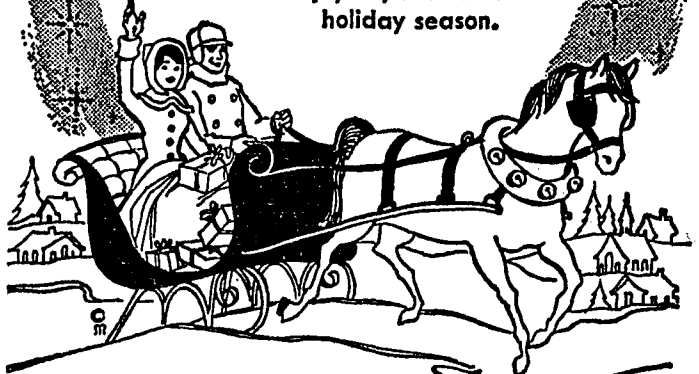
But the national foundation for the furtherance of interesting causes wouldn't let Santa Claus quit. Christmas kept coming and coming at the little boy. Finally, one night in despera-

tion, he packed his own small belongings, took his dog under his arm, climbed out the window and ran away from Christmas.

Moral: A boy doesn't grow up until he decides he is his own best Santa Claus.

merry christmas

We wish you, one and all a joyous, fun-filled holiday season.



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WHITE HALL HOSPITAL WORKERS HOLD XMAS PARTY

WHITE HALL — Personnel of the White Hall Hospital enjoyed a Christmas party at the Blackhawk Restaurant recently. Thirty-four employees, their husbands and guests, attended.

Miss Margaret McGee, R.N. acted as hostess for the White Hall Hospital board. Attending were in addition to Miss McGee, were Miss Eunice Knox, Miss Inez McGlasson, Miss Dorothy M. Young, Miss Ruth Ann Lemons, Jimmy Flowers, Miss Linda Camerer and friend, Mrs. Maryann Moore, Mrs. Jeanette Beams, Mrs. Louise Printy, Mrs. Mildred Culbertson, Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Blake, Mr. and Mrs. K. Lorton, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dawdy, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swarrington, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Westledge, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Westledge, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bushnell, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peters, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McClenning.

Mrs. Blake and Miss Lemons distributed gifts.

CHURCH GROUP CELEBRATES HOLIDAY SEASON

ROODHOUSE — The Sacred Heart Club of the St. Athanasius Catholic Church met at the home of the president, Mrs. C. B. Ruyie, Thursday afternoon, for the annual Christmas party.

During the business session, the group voted to donate \$5 to the Christmas committee which provides community treats for children.

Prizes during the social hour were awarded to Mrs. Floyd Davis, Mrs. Victor Mitchell, Mrs. William Vigus, Mrs. Ben Locher.

Eleven people were present including one guest, Mrs. Margaret Schumm of Jacksonville.

The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Mervin Henry.

James Shaw has returned from Holy Cross hospital where he was taken following a fall on the ice.

Ronnie Reynolds has returned home from Springfield Memorial Hospital where he underwent tests and treatment.

SPEND WEEKEND AT ARENZVILLE

ARENZVILLE — Mrs. Larry Hines and family of Independence, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. William Patterson and Craig of Berwyn spent the weekend with the Walter Roegge and family.

Weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Clark and Becky were Mr. and Mrs. Lanni Clark, Julie Ann and Amy Sue, and Mr. and Mrs. Tris Schnepfer and Clark of Bloomington.

Merry Christmas

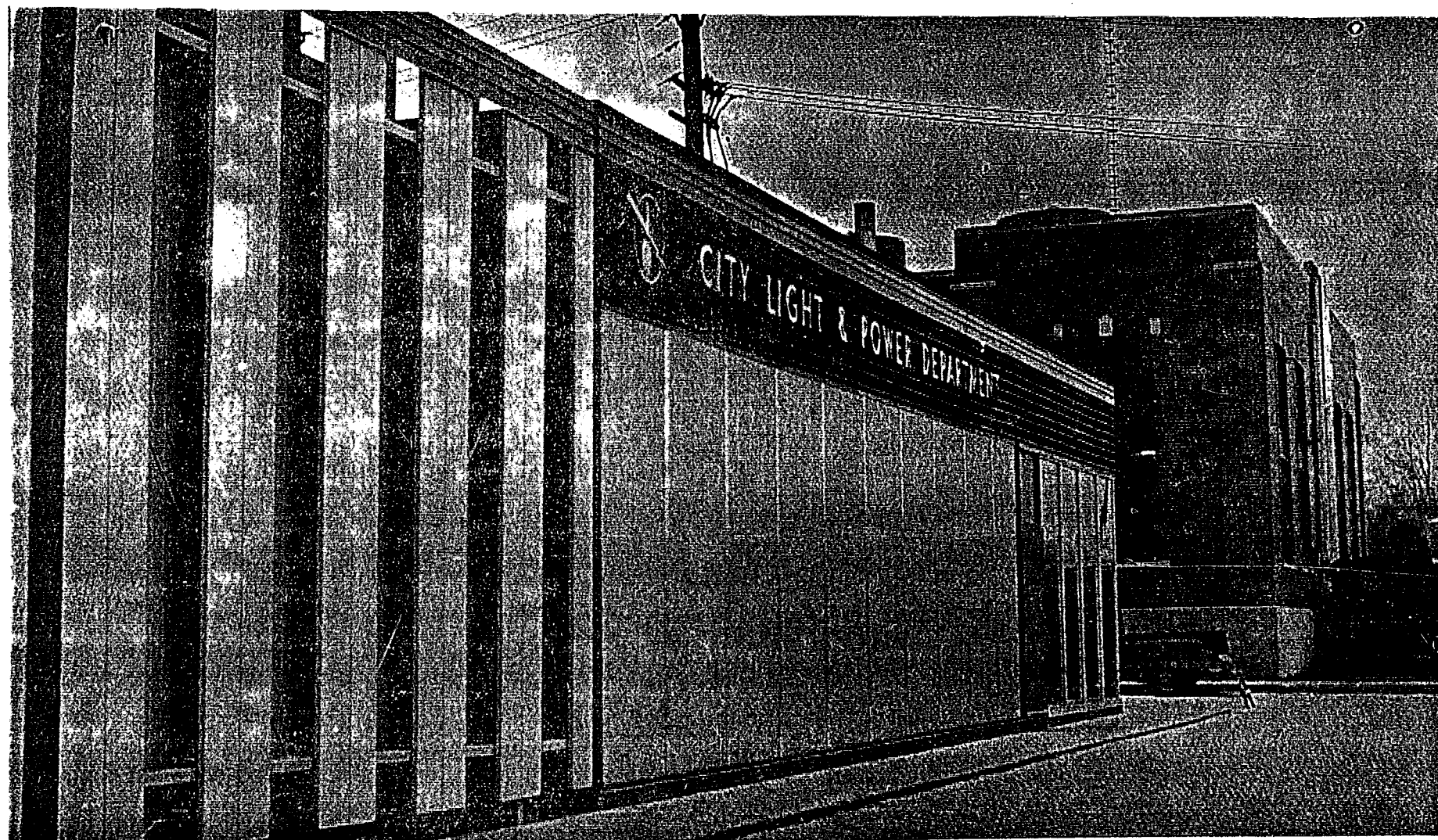


We extend to you friendly holiday greetings warm with old-fashioned Yuletide spirit. May this enchanting season gladden your hearts with its magical splendor and make this the best Christmas ever for your family. We say thanks too, for your continued loyalty to our firm.

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